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Vol. XXIV. No. 1705 號十二月一十年八十六百八千一英 HONGKONG, FRIDAY, 20TH NOVEMBER, 1868. AGENTS FOR THE CHINA MAIL. LONDON :- F. ALGAR, 11, Clement's Lane Lumbard Street. GEORGE STREET, 30, Cornhill. GOBDON & GOTCH, 121, Holborn Hill, E.C. BATES HENDY & Co.,

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# Arrivals.

Nov. 20, Cloris, N. German barone, 300, Lound, Newchwang, Nov. 7, 7500 piculs Poss.—ARNHOLD KARBERG & Co.

#### Departures.

Nov. 20, Clan Alpine, for S'pore & C'cutta. 20, Arratoon Apcar, for ,,

# Shipping Reports.

The North German barque Cloris, from Newchwang, reports fine weather and wind from N. E, to E. the first part of passage; the latter part fine weather and strong wind from N.W. to W. and heavy cross sea; rival in nort. The North German schooner

### New Advertisements.

FOR SHANGHAL. The Steamer ."SUWONADA," will be despatched for the &c., &c. above Port, at 4 P.M., Tomorrow, the 21st instant. For Freight or Passage, apply to AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co. Hongkong, November 20, 1868.

UNION DOCK COMPANY OF HONG-KONG & WHAMPOA, LIMITED. NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE Ordinary Annual MEETING of the MAIL," a Select Assortment of Lawill be held at the Company's Office, (in and HATS; in Velvet, Terry, Seal, Grobe, the Hongkong Hotel Building), on FRI- Felt, and Straw, trimmed and untrimmed. DAY, the 18th day of December next, at | Chemille and Paisley SHAWLS. Velvet, Noon, for the election of Directors in the Cloth and Sealskin JACKETS, in great place of those who retire, in conformity variety. with the provision of the Articles of Association. At the same time the statement of | designs and colors. account and the Report of Directors will be laid before the Meeting. By order of Directors,

JOHN INGLIS, Act. Sec. Hongkong, November 18, 1868.

# F. DA CUNHA & Co.,

FROM PORTUGAL, GOLDSMITHS AND WATCHMAKERS REPAIRERS OF ORGANS & OTHER MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS 58. Wellington Street,

Late Central Police Station, HONGKONG. Terms moderate. A share of patronage of the liberal community is requested.

A lot of fine Organs for sale. Hongkong, November, 16, 1868.

# SAYLE & Co., VICTORIA EXCHANGE

QUEEN'S ROAD, T) ESPECTFULLY solicit inspection of their New GOUDS, in the following Departments.

SILKS. Evening Dresses - Velvets. RIBBONS. - Fancy Dresses.

HOSIERY. - Trimmings. HABERDASHERY.

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- Ladies' Outfits. BABY LINEN. Gentlemen's Hats- Gloves.

HOSIERY. - Tweeds. Clothe Tailoring in all its Branches.

PERFUMERY, &c.

Household Linens-Blankets. CARPETS.

FURNISHING DRAPERY, Etc., Etc.

P.S.—The Dress-making, Millinery and Tailoring are under the Superintendence of experienced West End

Hongkong, November 12, 1868.

New Advertisements.

Instantaneous PHOTOGRAPHS 🚣 of the Regatta. Taken from the S. S. "Clan Alpine." FLOYD & Co. Hongkong, Nov. 12, 1868. de12

HAMBURGH & BREMEN FIRE INSURANCE CO. HE Undersigned are now authorized to accept Assurance against Fire at Hong-

Hongkong, November 9, 1868.

NOTICE. HE Fine Steamer "YUNG-HAI-AN." (late Lancefield) will be sold by Public Auction about the 24th inst., unless previously disposed of by private contract. The Steamer is 227 feet long by 30 feet beam, with 24 feet depth of hold. She was built in Glasgow of the best iron, and is as sound as when launched. Her engines, by Napier, of 300 horse-power nominal. are in good working order, and she was fitted last year with two new Boilers of an approved pattern. She carries in addition

900 tone measurement Goods. She has on deck a handsome Saloon with accommodations for 30 first-class passen, gers arranged with every modern convethen moderate and light E. wind till ar- nience, and comfortable Cabins for secondclass passengers forwards. Her between Christine left Newchwang on same day for Decks are lofty and well adapted for the transport of troops or native passengers.

For further particulars, apply to Hongkong, November 11, 1868.

FOR SALE. RENCH Preserved Provisions, Paté of Partridge, Snipe, Hare, Plover, &c.,

SAUSAGES TRUFFLED. Truffled l'âté de Foie Gras, French Preserved Vegetables, Petits Pois, Brussell Sprouts, Asparagus, Mushrooms, &c., &c.,

Apply to G. DUBOST & Co. Hongkong, November 9, 1868.

MISS ROSE I AS received per "OVERLAND" Shareholders in the said Company, dies' and Children's fashionable BONNETS

Plain and Fancy SILKS, in the newest lancenes, and Cluney. KERCHLEFS; Real Imitation, and Hem-

stitched Ditto. FLOWERS, FEATHERS, BIRDS, and Hat ORNAMENTS. Smoking CAPS and TASSELS.

Human HAIR, in Plaits and Curls. and GLOVES.

Received direct from Berlin, a nice as sortment of WOOLS, in all Colors. WELLINGTON STREET. Opposite the Catholic Chapel,

Hongkong, November 9, 1868. OFFICE OF THE CHINA TRADERS'

INSURANCE COMPANY LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS. ATOTICE is hereby given that the ordinary Meeting of the Shareholders of the above Company will be held at the Head Office, Victoria, Hongkong, on MONDAY, the 7th December, 1868, o'clock P.M., for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Committee together with a statement of accounts to 31st October,

By order of the Committee, AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co. General Agents. Hongkong, November 7, 1808.

OFFICE OF THE CHINA TRADERS' INSURANCE COMPANY LIMITED NTOTICE is hereby given that the Register of Shares of the Company will be closed from the 20th day of November to the 5th of December, 1868, (both days included) during which period no transfer of shares shall be registered. By order of the Committee.

AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co. General Agents. Hongkong, November 7, 1868.

TO LEND ON MORTGAGE. \$22,000 onfirst class Property, not occupied by Chi-Address "W. T. M." at the Office of this Hongkong, November 5, 1868.

STEAM-BOAT "MEKONG?" TENDERS are invited stating the lowest 1 price for altering the above steamer lying at anchor off Shamien, Canton, now propelled on the centre, wheel system, into a paddle-wheel boat. Particulars may be Messra J. STRATMAN & Co. San Francisco. obtained from the Undersigned, who do not bind themselves to accept the lowest or any tender.

WIL PUSTAU & Co. Hongkong, October 29, 1868,

New Advertisements.

ANDREW MILLAR, House, ship, & steam boat COPPERSMITH & BRASSFOUNDER No. 1, Queen's Road East and Nullah Lane. Hongkong, October 28, 1868.

ONNAGE to Ampy for 300 to 400 Tons ▲ of Dead Weight.

THE New Superior Manila CIGAR in cases of 200 each. BIELFELD AND ZACHARIAE Hongkong, November 9, 1868.

FAWCETT & Co., WATER & SPIRIT MERCHANTS GENERAL STORE KEEPERS, AND COMMISSION AGENTS. Wyndham Street; Hongkong.

and after the 1st November, 1868, BOARD and LUDGING BOARD or LODGING-or SPARE BED ROOMS, Furnished or Unfurnished, can be had at the House to her Coals, 10,000 peculs dead-weight or formerly known as the URIENTAL HOTEL. Board and Lodging .... \$50 per Month. For further particulars, apply to FAWCETT & Co.

Hongkong, October 80, 1868. JUST RECEIVED PER "LOUISA." I LEVENISH & Co.'s CHAMPAGNE PALE ALE BEER. Apply to

G. DUBOST & Co. Hongkong, November 9, 1863. "THE UNION INSURANCE SOCIETY OF CANTON?"

MOTICE is hereby given that in compliance with the requirements of Section Number Fifty of the Companies Ordinance, 1865," an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders will be held at the Offices of the Society, No. 12, Praya, on Monday, the Twenty-first days December next, at Three o'clock in the aftermoon for the purpose of confirming all or any Special Resolutions that may be passed at the Meeting called for the purpose on the

Fifth day of December next! Morwarded to him, at the Bakery, or left at Plated the Thirtieth day of Oct. A. D. 18 By Order of the Board of Directors, ROBERT WATMORE. Secretary.

THE UNION INSURANCE SOCIETY OF CANTON!

OTICE is hereby given that, under the Real LACES, in Honiton, Chantilly, Va- cles of Association of the Society, an Extraordinary Meeting of Shareholders will be Ladies' French Cambric Trimmed HAND. | held at the Society's Offices, No. 12 Prays, on Saturday, the Fifth day of December next, at three o'clock in the afternoon, for the pur-Ladies' SUNSHADES, French FANS, pose of altering the Regulations of the Society by passing certain Special Resolutions numbered from One to Thirteen inclu-Gold and Silver BELTING & BRAIDS. | sive, whereby Articles Numbers 25, 59, 71 76, 77, 79, 120, 129, 139, 140, 145, 147, and 156 of the Society's Articles of Association are proposed to be struck out of and expunged Ladies' and Gentlemen's Kid BOOTS from the Regulations of the said Society and certain other Regulations affecting the Duration, Constitution, Management, and other General Provisions of the Society substituted in lieu and exclusion thereo And Notice is also hereby given that a Copy of the proposed Resolutions can be obtained tf by any Shareholder on application at the in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7. Society's said Offices in Victoria. Dated the Thirtieth day of Oct., A.D. 1868

By Order of the Board of Directors, ROBERT WATMORE, Secretary. docb

SAILORS' HOME, WEST POINT.

W. KESWICK, | - FORBES, Esq. JOHN DENT, H. G THOMSETT, Esq., B.N. Hon. H. B. GIBB, W. MAGAUGAY, Esq. G. J. HELLAND, Esq. D. SASSOON, Esq. G. HEARD, Esq.

Rev. W. R. BEACH. W. LEMANN, Esq. J. J. MURRAY, M.D. Committee of Management Hon. W. KESWICK, Chairman W. MACAULAY, Esq. H. G. THOMSETT G. J. HELLAND, Esq.

YONATIONS OF BOOKS, Periodicals, Newspapers, Clothes, &c., will be most hankfully received. A. OVERBURY,

Hongkong, October 29, 1868.

MORRIS'S DIRECTORY FOR CHINA JAPAN AND THE PHILIPPINES,

&c., &c., 1869 HE Undersigned begs to announce that the first volume of the above work will be published early in January 1869. and he requests that the schedules addressed to the different residents be returned as soon as possible and that all foreigners lately arrived in China will kindly send their names for insertion without delay, Orders will be received by and copies can be obtained from Messrs Drown & Co. Swatow, Messis Giles & Co. Amoy, Messis Hande & Co. Foochow, Shanghai Recorder

hama, Messrs Case & Co. Nagasaki, F. Atoan, Esq., Clements Lane, London, and J. B. MORRIS. Hongkong. N. B.—All advertisements must be sent

Hongkong, Uctober 19, 1868,

New Advertisements.

LL Persons having claims against the A Estate of the late firm of DENT & Co. are requested to furnish particulars of the same to the Trustees, addressed to the care of Mr E. Wheeley, Hongkong, on or before the 30th November, 1268, in order to participate in the first Dividend,

A. TURING. Trustees of Dent & W. LEMANN. Hongkong, September 18, 1868.

FOR SALE AT EAST POINT: Complete assortment of Lowmoor and Thornycroft PLATE, and Sheet IRON, Double Shear, Spring and Blister STEEL, on TUESDAY, 1st December, at 9 atm. in round, square and flat bars. Babbits PLATES, Rods and Pipes. Gas FITTINGS | 4.P.M. on the 80th November. of every description. Boiler TUBES, Pressure GUAGES. FILES, PACKING and all kinds of Engineer's Supplies.

RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, September 1, 1868. mar10

THE Office of the Wandhi Steam Bakery is REMOVED to the Store of Messra MACEWEN & Co., where all orders addressed "Wanchi Steam Bakery" will receive prompt attention. Fancy BISCUIT and CAKE constantly on hand.

Proprietor. Hongkong, September 3, 1868.

NOTICE. 11HE Undersigned having PURCHASED the Interest of the "WANGEL STEAM BAKERY," bega to notify the Public of Hongkong and Ship Masters that he is prepared to furnish Daily Supplies of Soft BREAD in various forms, to any part of the Co-

Also Ship BREAD of best quality and at low rates-constantly on hand or baked in quantities at short notice. Also Vater, Butter, Soda and Sugar BISUCITS by the Barrel, Tin or Pound. Also Corn and Rye MEAL, HOMINY, CORN STARCH, BICARB. SODA, Sale. ratus and Cream TARTAR.

FLOUR of best Brands constantly on hand supplied by the Barrel, Bag, Tin or CAKE of all kinds baked to order. The above is under the Superintendence Mr JONATHAN PARSONS, and all orders

Messrs MacEwen & Co.'s will receive prompt attention. L. P. WARD. Hongkong, February 17, 1868.

# Auctions.

PUBLIC AUCTION. Provisions of Article 77 of the Arti- DOWRA & Co. will sell by Publi-Auction, by order and at the residence of C. Hochstetter, Esq., 51 Wyndham Street, on

THURSDAY, the 26th Nov., 1868, at 11 o'clock A.M.

superior Crystal, Glassware, Electroblated Ware, Table-linen, Mirrors, Books in English, French and German, includ ing the collection of "Gierstaker's" works in German, in 50 vols., well-bound, Clocks, I Rifle by "Lepage," I doubleparrelled Gun by "Dean and Adams' Sedan Chairs, Lamps,

TERMS OF SALE.—Cash before delivery All lots with all errors of description whatever at purchaser's risk upon fall of the hammer.

Hongkong, November 19, 1868. no26

# Banks. HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANK-

ING CORPORATION. SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL, FIVE MILLIONS OF DOLLARS.

COURT OF DIRECTORS. Chairman. - George John Helland, Esq. Deputy Chairmon-GEO. F. HEARD, Esq. W. H. FORBES, Esq. JAMES B. TAYLOR, SOLOMON D. SASSOON, Esq.

WILLIAM LEMANN, JAS. P. DUNCANSON JULIUS MENKE, ESQ. RICHARD ROWETT, ESC E. R. BELLLIOS, Esq.

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On Fixed Deposits .--For 3 months, 2 per cent, per annum, ,, 6 ,, 4 per cent. ,, ő per cent. LOCAL BILLS DISCOUNTED, Credits granted on approved Securities.

and every description of Banking and Office Shanghal, Japan Times Office Yoko- Exchange business transacted. Drafts, granted on London, and the chief Commercial places in Europe, India, Australia, America, China and Japan. VIOTOR KRESSER, Chief Manager:

Offices of the Corporation, No, 1, Queen's Road East.

STEAM FOR Singapore, Penang, Point de Galle, Aden, Suez, Maita, Marseilles, and Southampton;

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Bombay, Madras, and Calcutta. HE PENINSULAR AND OBJENTAL STRAM NAVIGATION COMPANY'S Sterm-ship A Complete assortment of Lowmoor and Thornyoroft PLATE, and Sheet IRON, Hen Majesty's Mails, Passengers, Specie, and BAR, ROD, Angle IRON and RIVETS. Cargo, will leave this for the above places. PAROELS and OARGO will be receive METAL, Muntz Yellow METAL, Copper on board until Noon, and SPEQIE until For particulars regarding Freight and

l'ansage, apply at the P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office, Hongkong. CONTENTS AND VALUE OF PACKAGES

ARE REQUIRED. A written declaration of the Contents and Value of the Packages for the Overland Route is required by the Egyptian Government, and must be delivered by the Shippers to the Company's Agents with the Bills of Lading, or with Parcels; and the Company do not hold themselves responsible for any detention or prejudice which may happen from incorrect-

ness on such declaration. Shippers are particularly requested to note the terms and conditions of the Company's Black Bills of Lading.

W. MACAULAY, Superintendent. P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office. Hongkong, November 19, 1868.



NOTICE. COMPAGNIE DES SERVICES MA-RITIMES DES MESSAGERIES IMPERIALES. PAQUEBOTS POSTE FRANCAIS.

STEAM: FOR SAIGON, SINGAPORE, BATAVIA POINT DE GALLE, ADEN, SUEZ, ALEXANDRIA, MESSINA, MARSEILLES.

ROMBAY, PONDICHERY, MADRAS, HE Company's Steamship "HOOGLY," Commandant DE Bovis, will leave this Port for the above places, with MAILS PASSENGERS, SPECIE, and CARGO,

the 25th instant, at 2 P.M. Cargo and Specie will be registered for London as well as for Marseilles, and accepted in transit through Marseilles for the principal places of Europe. Cargo will be received on board until

P.M. of the 24th Instant, Specie and Parcels until 5 P.M. of the 24th Instant. (Parcels are not to be sent on board; they must be left at the Agency's Office.) For Particulars regarding Freight and Sundry Household FURNITURE, Passage, apply at the Company's office, Hougkong. CONTENTS AND VALUE OF PACKAGES ARE REQUIRED.

C. BERTRAND, Principal Agent. Hongkong, November 5, 1868.



PAOIFIC MAIL STEAM-SHIP COMPANY.

THROUGH U. S. MALL LINE TO NEW YORK. OTEAMERS of this line will be despatch Great Republic, on or about Aug. 15.

O ed as follows :— Great Republic, ,, Costa Rica will leave Shanghai on or

about same dates, connecting at Yokohami with above-named steamers. Passengers ticketed through to California Mexico, Central and South America, the Atlantic States, and to England or France. both via New York and by lines from Panama and Aspinwall

Return tickets issued at a reduction of 10 % upon the whole amount for the round Connections are made at Panama with Steam Lines upon the West Coast of Central and South America, at Aspinwall with

the "Royal West India Mail Line," "West India and Pacific Steam-ship Company. (Limited) and the "French Transatlantic Company." And, at New York, with the various lines to Europe. Tickets issued for the following Steam-ship Lines: Cunard, Inman, National, General Transatlantic Co., New York and Havre Steam-Co., and North German Lloyds.

Favorable arrangements have been made for through passengers and freight to America, from Calcutta, Penang and Singapore, and, from Swatow, Amoy and Fouchow. Through Bills of Lading given for Ports of Mexico and on the West Coast of Central and South America to as far as Valparaise, to New York, Liverpool, Southampton and St. Nazaire, France. Freight to United States payable in ad-

vance in Mexican Dollars, or on delivery in American Gold Coin with 8 per cent additional, at shipper's option. For further information, apply at the Agency of the Company, Praya West. GEO. F. EOWMAN, Agent.

Shipping.

PRICE, \$24 PER ANNUM.

STEAM TO SWATOW, AMOY, & FOOCHOW. HE P. & O. Co.'s Steam-ship " FORMOSA,"

will leave for the above place at 8 A.M. on Sunday, the 22d inst. W. MACAULAY, Hongkong, November 19, 1868. FOR LABUAN & SINGAPORE, OR

SINGAPORE DIRECT, Should sufficient inducement offer, The new screw steamer

Captain Mann, 468 tons register, will have quick depatch. For Freight or Passage, apply to GILMAN & Co.

Hongkong, November 16, 1868. FOR LONDON. Calling at Singapore, Penang & Mauritius.

The O. S. S. Co.'s Steamer "AJAX,"
Kidd, Master, expected from Shanghai about the end of this month, will have immediate despatch

General Cargo, Drugs, &c., can now be For rate of Freight or Passage, appy to Hougkong, November 14, 1868;

FOR SWATOW, AMOY & SHANGHAL The Steam-ship Captain Dundas, will leave for the above ports, on Saturday, For Freight or Passage, apply to

Hongkong, November 17, 1868 FOR YOKOHAMA DIRECT. The A 1 Russian steam-Captain AITEEN, will meet with quick dispatch for "SHAFTESBURY,"

DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co

For Freight, &c., apply to LANDSTEIN & Co. Hongkong, November 12, 1868.

The Diamond Line S. S. expected to arrive from Eng-land before the end of the month, will proceed immediately to Shang-

For Freight or Passage, apply to THE BORNEO CO. LIMITED. Hongkong, October 16, 1868.

FOR SINGAPORE. The British steam-ship "SAKURA," Capt. Beazery, will have quick despatch for the above port, on Monday, the 23rd inst., at Noon. For Freight or Passage, apply to

Hongkong, November 16, 1868.

FOR SAIGON. The A 1 British barque "EVANGELINE," Capt. J. E. Adams, will have quick despatch for the above

For Freight, apply to ROB. S. WALKER. Hongkong, November 13, 1868. FOR SAIGON.

The French barque "BENGALI," Captain Demiaux, will have quick despatch for the above.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

LAMMER!, ATKINSON & Co. Hongkong, November 13, 1868.

FOR SAIGON, The A 1 French ship "ST. CROIX,"
Captain ROBERT, will have immediate despatch for the above, For Frieght or Passage, apply to LANDSTEIN & Co. Hongkong, November 12, 1868.

FOR NEW YORK. The A 1 British ship Capt. Lanscown, will load here "LOUISA." and at Whampoa, and have quick despatch for the above port. For Freight or Passage, apply to Hongkong, November 12, 1868.

FOR NEW YORK. The A 1 American barque "STERLING" (BUILT IN 1866.) of 468 Tons Register, HARDING. ship Co., Hamburg and American Packet Master, having the greater portion of her Co., New York and Bremen Steam-ship cargo engaged, will load here, and at Whampoa, and have early despatch for the above port. For Freight, apply to

OLYPHANT & Co. Hongkong, October 20, 1868.

FOR SALE. The A 1 North German Brig "GAZELLE" of 196 Tons Register, built in 1865 all of Oak copper-fastened and coppered. She ranges 3/3 L 1.1. in Veritas until May 1873. The vessel is in irst rate order. Apply to

CARLOWITZ & Co. Hongkong, October 21, 1868,

FOR SAN FRANCISCO. The North German Ship will load for the above Port and have despatch. For Freight, apply to AUGUSTINE HE \RD & Co. Hongkong, October 13, 1868.

Shipping.

FOR FREIGHT OR CHARTER The first class French ship "LA PLATA! JUBIN, Master, of 444 tons re-

For particulars, apply to FREDERIC DEGENAER. Hongkong, November 2, 1868.

Notices to Consignees.

"MIKADO," FROM LONDON. CONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above I named vessel are requested to send in their Bills of Lading for countersignature and to take immediate delivery of their Goods.

Cargo impeding the discharge of the vessel will be landed and stored at Consignees' risk and expense by JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.

Hongkong, November 16, 1868.

'HE following cases have been landed and stored at the risk and expense of the Consignees, who are requested to take immediate delivery. Ex "Donnai," 7th January, 1868.

. . . 1 Case Paper. Ex "Hoogly," 31st October, 1868. "Arms. C. BERTRAND

Principal Agent. Hongkong, November 9, 1868.

Actices of Firms

NAR. JOHN ALEXANDER SANDILANDS IS We authorized to sign our firm per pro-

R. McGREGOR & Co. Hongkong, November 12, 1868.

E have this day established a Branch of our Firm at H1000 and OBACCA. WACHTELS GROOS & Co. Nagasaki, September 20, 1868.

NOTICE. HAVE this day established myself as a PUBLIC ACCOUNTANT, AVERAGE ADtuster and General Commission Agent. C. LANGDON DAVIES.

Hongkong, July 1, 1868. I'HE Interest and Responsibility of Mu

WILLIAM NEILSON in our Firm ceased on the 30th June last. Mr Tobias Pim, Mr William Nisbet OLMSTED and Mr H. SEYMOUR GEARY are authorized to sign our Firm in Hongkong and China from this date.

OLYPHANT & Co. Hongkong, October 6, 1868.

NOTICE: PROM and after this date Mr George F. BOWMAN will act as ACENT of the Pacific Mail Steam-ship Company at this S. L. PHELPS

Hongkong, August 15, 1867.

R. HENRY LISTON DALRYMPLE is authorised to sign our Firm per procuration, at Foochow from this date. BIRLEY & Co.

Hongkong, June 3, 1868. NOTICE. RRYLE HOLME has been admitted a partner in our Firm.

Nagasaki, January 1, 1867. HAVE established myself at this port as General Commission Merchant, unde he Style and Firm of GIFFORD F. PARKER

GIFFORD FORBES PARKER. Saigon, December 20, 1867.

NOTICE. HE Undersigned will from this date tran-Bact a GENERAL COMMISSION BUSINES at this port under the firm of C. D. WIL-

C. D. WILLIAMS. Hongkong, November 2, 1868.

MIE have authorized Mr CLAUS BUDDE to sign our Firm from this date. DREYER & Co. Hongkong, January 1, 1868.

Docks.

THE UNION DOCK COMPANY OF HONGKONG & WHAMPOA, LIMITED

HE Company respectfully call the attention of Ship Owners, Consignees and Masters of Vessels, to their Establishment at Hongkong and Whampon, for the DUCKING and REPAIRING of Vessels of all classes.

At Hongsong the Company have the only Dock in the harbour, a Granite articles of the best quality. Duck, solidly built, and of dimensions to admit Ships of 350 feet in length, and

works, and everything necessary for the ment Civil Hospital. Repairs of Sailing Vessels or Steamers. The Company have also opened a Shipyard by the side of the Hongkong Dock, Colonial Secretary's Office. and are ready to contract for the construction of Steamers or Sailing Vessels of any

At Whampon the Company have four Docks, in which they will take Ships at reduced rates.

The Steam Tug "LITTLE ORPHAN' can be engaged to tow Vessels to sea, or berth them, at reasonable rates,

For particulars, apply to JOHN INGLIS. Acting Secretary. A. D. MITCHELL,

author: Price \$1. Manager of Works. Apply at Messra Lane, Chawford & Co. Company's Office, H. kong Hotel Building, or The London Mission House. Hongkong, October 10, 1808, Hongkong, October 17, 1868.

Docks.

HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED.

CHAREHOLDERS are requested to take notice that the seventh call of Fifty Dollars on the new Stock of the above named Company is die on the 1st December next and will be payable at the office of the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking CORPORATION, where receipts for the payment thereof will be granted by the Ma-

Interest at the rate of Twelve per centum per annum will be changed after the above

By order of the Board of Directors, GEORGE N. MINTO,

Secretary. Hongkong, September 2, 1868. FOOCHOW GRANITE FLOORED

HE above Dock has been in full working order for the last four years. Length 300 feet, width at bottom 40 feet, depth of water on the sill, springs, average 17 feet, neaps 14 feet. The Dock in ordinary Tides runs dry to the Blocks and is pumped out

For further particulars as to the price of

coppering, &c., &c., &c., apply to T. D. TILLINGHAST, Esq., Messrs De Silver & Co., Hongkong; Messrs Boyn & Co., Shangbai; or to the Undersigned. In connection with the above is the powerful Twin Screw Tug " WOOSUNG." Vessels requiring the services of this Tug either from Matsou (where a splendid anchorage will be found during the S. W. monsoon) or from the White Dogs, can obtain them at moderate rates, on application

JOHN C. SKEY, Manager Pagoda Anchorage, River Min,

New Advertisements.

CHRISTADELPHIAN ISYNAGOGUE. No. 3. QUEEN'S ROAD EAST. I HOSE in Hongkong, who have become Christadelphians, by believing the things "concerning the Kingdom of Goo and the name of Jesus Christ" (Acts viii-12) and being thereafter, immersed in water in obedience to Apostolic Command-

nent (Acts ii-38.) MEET EVERY SUNDAY In the morning at 11 a.m. for the breaking of bread, and of prayers, and in the evening at 7 o'clock, for the problemation

N.B.—Christadelphian means 'Brethren of Christ," and is adopted by those acknowledging it, to distinguish them from ordinary "Christians" who in the estimation of the former, are departed from the faith of Christ, and turned unto fables (2 Tim. 4-4.)

LOOKING FOR HIS APPEARING. Hongkong, November 20, 1868

STEAM TO SWATOW, AMOY, & FOOCHOW. HE departure of the P. & O. Co.'s S. S.

day, the 24th inst. W. MACAULAY. Hongkong, November 19, 1868

LL Persons having claims against the Estate of the late JOHN CLARK, deceased. Acting Assistant Surveyor General, are requested to send in particulars of same on or before the 31st day of December

F. I. HAZELAND, Supreme Court House. Hongkong, November 20, 1868.

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ENDERS for Contracts for the supply of the articles included in the undermentioned Schedules to the Governmen Civil and Lock Hospitals, for the space of

one year commencing on the 26th December, 1868, will be received at this Office until Noon of the 1st of December. SCHEDULE 1.—Provisions. 2.—Medical Comforts.

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Tenders must be in duplicate, and in sealed envelopes, endorsed "Fender for Hospital Contracts." Forms of Tender, Attached to it there are Shipwrights, and all other information may be obtained vellers and others, is also included in the Blacksmiths, Boiler-makers and Machinery from the Superintendent of the Govern- volume. The entire work affords a vast

> J. GARDINER AUSTIN. Colonial Secretary. Hongkong, October 3v, 1868.

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READINGS IN CHINESE

Hongkoug, October 29, 1868. THE "TREATY PORTS OF CHIN - & JAPAN." AND "NOTES AND

QUERIES ON CHINA AND JAPAN.

EXTRACTS FROM REVIEWS. (From the "Friend of India," June 4, 1868.) We acknowledge with thanks the receipt of the numbers for the current year of "Notes and Queries," a most deserving Anglo-Chinese monthly, edited by Mr N. B. Dennys, whose "Treaty Ports of China and Japan" are so well known. From the names attached to the "Notes" we can see that the contributors include some of the 6th august in long. 31.14. On 5th October best Chinese scholars in the East. Its interest is not confined to China, and it will be of valuable assistance to all scholars, who and fine weather until last night, 168 days subject of Buddhism and its literature, and spoke the Danish brig Alice, from Macassar

ental antiquities. It deserves to be better

(From the "Straits Times," July 27, 1868. upon the progress that Literature as repre- | Sept., in lat. 45 S.; made St. Paul's Island sented by the Press had made and was on 17th Sept.; came to Straits of Lumbach making in the East, and our attention has on 7th Oct.; came by eastward passage, had again been called to the subject by the re- light wind and calms till Bashee Channel ceipt of a Hongkong publication which | then had wind from E.S.E. to E.N.E. till deserves some notice and which we have last night, when had heavy rain till arrival, much pleasure in introducing to the know- 137 days out. On Oct. 1.th, spoke the ledge of our readers. We allude to Notes British ship Garibaldi from Cardiff bound and Queries on thing and Japan, published to Hongkong 128 days out in the Straits of for the above places is postponed till Tuesmonthly by Mr Saint, the proprietor of the Maccassar, Capt. William; 14th, Dutch China Mail newspaper. This publication | barque Albatross from Cardiff to Shanghai is well printed on good paper, and in size 108 days out, and the Dutch barque Hongand shape is very like its well-known name- | kong from Hamburg to Shanghai 130 days sake or prototype at home, and is equally a out, both in the Sea of Celebes off Cape mine containing very curious and useful | Rivers, boarded the American ship Onward information regarding the language, litera- from Cardiff to Shanghai out 128 days, ture, history, manners and customs of the same date and place; 25th, spoke the Gari-Chinese and in a less degree of the Japanese. | baldi a second time off Minidanao; 28th stability of the footing of Europeans in Liverpool to Manila out 142 days off China, that such a publication as this | Sanguin Island, Celebes. hould be established and conducted with

apparently successful vigour. The publication is altogether a very interesting one, and wishing it every success, we commend it to the attention and support of our readers.

(From the "London Examiner," May

This really useful volume ["Treaty Ports of China and Japan"] is intended as guide for travellers and residents in China and Japan, and as a book of reference for mercantile men generally. It contains an account, historical and political, of all the open ports of these countries, together with Peking, Yedo, Hongkong, and Macao. has been carefully compiled and edited by Mr N. B. Dennys: and the elaborate manand plans, with which the work abounds.

considerably enhance its value. \* \* \* We have thus given in outline some the more prominent portions of the chapter devoted to Canton, as a specimen of the whole volume. Other chapters treating of Macao, Formosa, Ningpo, Shanghae, and the remainder of the treaty ports, we can only enumerate. The pages describing Peking, the capital, are so interesting, and contain so much that is new to European readers respecting its history, public buildings, and general characteristics, that we would fain transfer them to our columns. A complete and intelligible plan of the Imperial City and neighbourhood, gives us an

accurate notion of the relative position of its divisions, streets, and places. In the introductory chapter to the notices of the Treaty Ports of Japan will be found as uccinct history of that Empire, together with remarks on its government, geography. and limits, which will be found particularly interesting as throwing a considerable light on a part of the world so long entirely, and still comparatively, unknown to Europeans. The descriptions of Nagasaki, Yedo, Yokohams, and the other Treaty Ports of Japan, are as elaborate and entertaining as those of the Chinese ports. A copious in dex and a useful appendix containing many hints and much appropriate advice to traamount of information, pleasantly written, and we doubt not will be perused with interest by many who will never visit the Esstern sens.

GEORGE GLASSE,

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Nov. 20, Roslin Castle, British ship, 644, Alexander, London, July 5, General.-DOUGLAS LAPRAIR & Co. Nov. 20, Carmelita and Ita, N. German barque, 400, Jonson, Newcastle, June 6

450 tons Coal and 100 tons Iron. -P. & O. CLEARED Fusi-Yama, for Swatow. Andrew Jackson, for Guam. Aguia, for Bombay.

Villa de Rivadavia, for Manila PASSENGERS. The following European passengers lef this for Canton yesterday:-Messrs Chandler, Smith, Russell, and

The following European passengers arrived here from Canton to-day :--Mr M. de Colarte, and 3 Italian Officers

SHIPPING REPORTS. The N. G. barque Carmelita and Ita from Newcastle, reports: - Crossed Equator on 18th in long. 28.46 W.; passed the meridian of the Cape of Good Hope on passed Macassar Strait, had fine weather as far as Bashee; from thence had light wind ave directed their attention towards the out. On 11th October in Macassar Strait generally to all who are interested in ori- | bound to Hongkong.

The British ship Roslin Castle, from London, reports: Crossed the Equator on 7th August in long. 29 W.; passed the Some time ago we had occasion to remark | meridian of the Cape of Good Hope on 1s It says a good deal for the extent and boarded the Spanish barque Ercilla from

POST-OFFICE NOTIFICATIONS.

MAILS WILL CLOSE:-For SWATOW, AMOY & SHANGHAL,-Per "FUSIYAMA," on Saturday, the 21st inst., at 7.30 a.m.

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21st inst., at 3 p.m. For MANILA.— Per " VILLA DE RIVADAVIA," Tomorrow, the 21st inst., at 3 p.m.

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Hongkong, June 18, 1868.

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QUOTATIONS.

Hongkong, 20th Aovember, 1868. OPIUM. -Patna, New, ... \$625 Benares, New, 645 a 450 Misiws, ... COTTON.—BOMBAY, ... 18 a 21  $17 \ a \ 20 \frac{1}{2}$ CALOUTTA, ... Exchange. Bank, 6 months' sight, ... Credits, 6 On Calcutta, 3 days' sight, Rs. 222 ,, Bombay, 3 days' sight, Rs. 2222 ,, Shanghae, 3 days' sight, Bank, Tls. 74 Bar Silver, 17 dwts. B., Mexicans, Gold Bar, 98 touch, .... 23.20 a 23.30 English Sovereigns, ... 4.66 Australian Sovereigns,

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all communications relating to the general foreigners. If Sir Rutherford Alcock business of this paper be addressed to the is going to insist on the existence of Proprietor and in no case to individuals by name. Much delay and inconvenience the transaction of business will thereby be avoided.

TO CORRESPONDENTS. Our cotumns are open to all who wish to address the public on legitimate grounds, but we do not hold ourselves responsible for the opinions of our corresponden's. All communications addressed to this paper must be accompanied by the name

sender, not necessarily for publication, but as a quarantee of good faith. MARRIAGE. On the 19th instant, at Rose Villa, by the Rev. D. B. Morris, JOHN THOMSON Esq., to Isabel, daughter of Captain P

THE CHINA MAIL.

PETRIE, R.N., of Port St. Mary House,

HONGKONG, FRIDAY, NOV. 20, 1868

GOLD MINING AND TREATY Sin Rutherford Alcock has again placed himself in needless antagonism to the British community by instructing Mr Markham, H. M. Vice Consul at Chefoo. to prohibit British subjects from engag ing in gold digging, on the score of its being an infraction of Treaty Right Had he placed his prohibition upon other grounds whatever-had he of his own motion temporarily forbade mining in consideration of the complications which must almost inevitably ensue, until a perfectly clear understanding is arrived at between ourselves and the Chi-

perhaps approving, action which erred on | slip their own anchors. the side of over-caution. But the irreflective occupant of the British Legation has as usual been cajoled by the Chinese into the very worst line of conduct he could pursue. He has reduced the question, not to one of political expediency, to which much has often to be forgiven, but to one of bare legal right. And in common with our North China contem-

poraries we believe his dictum to be

Prepared as we were to find that Sir

Rutherford Alcock would exert every

effort to prevent the initiation of a course

false in law and in fact.

which under the most favourable circumstances, could not fail to give rise to Abyssinian Expedition are stated to have remarkable a blunder as that exhibited in the notification in question. He broadly states, without any qualification whatever, that "the working of mines in China is not a Treaty right, and it | cannot be attempted by Foreigners without a breach of Treaty, which it is the duty of Foreign Representatives to prevent," and thus lays down that, even with the permission of the local authorities, or in their employ, the working of mines by foreigners is an act "which it is the duty of foreign Representatives to prevent!" It may be said that this is a mere verbal blunder, and that it may be fully understood to mean "working the mines without the consent of the Chinese Government." But when a man's whole career is a glaring blunder—where every more blunders of fact and deduction than the inconsequent "theme" of the iuvenile school-boy, what can we say?

to express his real intentions. That the forcibly taking possession of land, the ownership of which vests in the Chinese Government, and therefrom taking all the precious metal it will yield is not a "treaty right," needs no demonstration. It is not a "treaty right" to build houses upon land of which the Chinese retain, and object to yielding up, the ownership or ground fee. But the assertion that, if the Chinese were to consent, mining would be illegal, is as childish as it will assuredly be inoperative. But we further maintain that the Treaty fully

interior for any purpose of business or pleasure; and while, so long as the Chiness are bolstered up in the belief that they possess territorial authority, we may admit their right to prevent gold being taken from the country against their will the most inveterate advocate of Chinese "rights" cannot maintain that, this permission granted, there can be anything illegal in foreigners searching for gold.

Thus much for the notification in its

narrowest aspect. Considered from a broader point of view we may adduce fresh reasons against it. The first is that it was the duty of the British Minister to have insisted on the Chinese framing proper regulations to permit of mining, as in other countries. This we may dismiss without argument; to discuss the incompetency of the Minister for his position is but a thankless task. Our second reason is that the Chinese Government has by its incapability of controlling local affairs in the provinces for good or evil, forfeited the rights which would otherwise vest in it as the sovereign of the soil. The doctrine we here enunciate is no new one; and we may observe that the incapacity of the Peking authorities to enforce respect for their instructions has just been exemplified in the case of Tseng-kwo-fan, the Viceroy at Nanking. This proposition is one which sooner or NOTICE.—It is particularly requested that later will force itself on the attention of territorial right on the part of the Chinese, to its full extent, as against ourselves, he must equally insist upon their assuming the responsibilities which belong to that position. Yet how does he reconcile the fact that the Viceroy Tseng-kwo-fan has just been coerced by superior force into the performance of an act of repara. tion, which, under Sir Rutherford's theory, it lay with the Central authorities to carry out? And how does he account for our having seized a steamer as a material guarantee for the due performance of all promises 1-an act equivalent to a declaration of war if the Chinese central authorities were the responsible parties! Of course he would say the Peking officials were powerless to act. But if so, why concede to them privileges, while by personal action we exempt them from the fulfilment of their responsibilities, in the provinces. "Peace at any price" is the sole key to such contradictory and insane action. But it will not pay in the long run. Sir Rutherford has again vindicated his claim to the maledictions of all well-wishers not merely to foreign trade but to China herself.

THE sale of Messrs Dent & Co.'s Praya property took place this afternoon. The following were the prices realized. For the East Wing, \$57,000, purchased by Messra Smith Archer & Co. For the Centre House \$30,000, by Messrs Rozario & Co. For the Vest Wing, \$61,000, by Messrs Melchers

& Co. Total, \$148,000. THE harbor race for the Garrison and Naval Corns—by schooners and cutters—will be sailed on Tuesday next, starting from the Government Coal Sheds, Kowloong, at Noon. The course is round the Channel rocks in the Lye-ee-moon pass, thence down the harbor rounding Green Island and back nese-we could have accepted, without | to the Fort William. Yachts to ride to and

> THE international four-oared race, English versus Scotch, will come off on Monday

next. The English crew is— 1 Weeks.

2 Turner. 3 Buckle. 4 Woodin (str.) Bottomley (cox.)

rowing in the Kelpie. The Scotch crew is- A. McLeod.  ${f 2}$  J. McLeod. 3 Morison.

4 Sim (str.)

Beart (cox.) rowing in the Iona. Betting 2 to 1 on the respective crews according to nationality.

THE total disbursements in India in the month of June in connection with the many and perplexing discussions, we were amounted to £900,000. The payments in hardly prepared to find he had made so | respect of hired transports, for India alone, amounted to £400,000.

CURRENT AND SHOAL, WEST COAST OF AUS-TRALIA, -The accompanying notice, which has been issued from the Hydrographic Office, Admiralty, London, is published for general information :- "After rounding Cape Leeuwin, a strong set to the E.N.E. was experienced. At 8 p.m., abreast of Cape Naturaliste, fifteen miles distant, a course was steered to pass eight miles to the westward of Rottnest Island; but at daylight Garden Island was observed on starboard bow and Rottnest Island on the port bow, the ship having been set twenty miles to the E.N.E. during the night. Had the weather been thick, so that the land or Rottnest Light could not be distinguished the ship would have been in a very dangerous position, as the course steered would have led directly on to the reefs north of Garden Island." Also, from the same source despatch he gives the public contains | the following notice of reported shoal water, sixteen or eighteen leagues westward of Swan River :- "A bank with twenty fathoms water on it has been discovered some fifty miles to the westward of Rottnest Such persistency in blundering must be Island, and breakers were said to have been accepted as the result of mental incapa- seen in 1864 from the Beaver, merchant city rather than of an accidental failure vessel, W by S., fifty-two miles from Cape Vlaming, the west extreme of Rotinest

THE Bombay Gazette of Oct. 24 says: -The P. & O. Co.'s steam-ship Behar met with rather a serious accident on Thursday last week. She had been lying in the Company's dookyard at Mazagon for the purpose of getting in new boilers, and on that work being completed was, on Thursday, being towed to the mind bed at the north end of the yard. From some cause, however, she turned suddenly from her course and so ran upon a rock some two yards distant from the shore. The plating of her keelson was stoved in amidships and the ship lay on authorises foreigners to proceed into the her starboard quarter with the water deep

in her hold. Efforts get the vessel righted evening these proved a favourable tide, ho improved, and the Bel unfortunate situation mud bed on Monday course suffered a deal that struck the rocks, that can be given. with a new deck, and the repairs of the dam greatly renovated.

No. 1705.—N

Our Canton correspo summary procedure case of the two ruffi kidnap the two Samp have rather incited the to more daring acts terror into their heart ladrones seem to have chievous design, and in the neighbourhood across an individual his shoulder a bag hundred taels of Silve that stared at the b drones fixed their ey and one of them rus tered a blow with a above the forehead rier, whilst the other out of the hands of good their escape wit who inflicted the wou nate in getting off, a custody of the magistr broad day are report quent occurrence, and of the ladrones see handful of pepper of eyes of the "spotted attack his purse. a reverend gentleman Whampon on the mig was suspected by a the sampan coming and her captain consec pected boat, which n here exists a feeliu dread of pirates eve Whampos. Whilst seem to be hovering wait to pounce on any within their reach. reported to have be aquatic pests on hor other day when oppos Pagoda. But they 10 on board to carry encumber themselves retired very much lighter returned to W the circumstance to Feeloong, whose galls upon brought his taafter putting a few of board the lighter, or and anchor at the pirates boarded hec Dragon herself was z a distance, watching arranged signal from pirates were not to o consequently the prog commander for a in through—to his great with pirates and lac have commenced one

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No. 1705.—November 20, 1868.

Our Canton correspondent writes :- The | comes before the Court. summary procedure the other day in the case of the two ruffians who contrived to kidnap the two Sampan Graces, seems to have rather incited the fraternity of thieves to more daring acts than to have struck chievous design, and when perambulating | charged, for the safety of the vessel. his shoulder a bag containing some two by all parties concerned. hundred tacks of Silver. Like the Reynard that stared at the bunch of grapes the ladrones fixed their eyes on the money-bag, and one of them rushing forward administered a blow with a small sword a little above the forehead of the money-bag carrier, whilst the other two snatched the bag good their escape with it. But the rascal, who inflicted the wound, was not so fortunate in getting off, and is now in the safe custody of the magistrate. Petty thefts in broad day are reported to be of more frequent occurrence, and the modus operandi

eves of the "spotted" individual and then attack his purse. The sampan in which a reverend gentleman was returning from Whampoa on the night of Monday last, was suspected by a passenger craft from the sampan coming up rapidly to her. and her captain consequently hailed the suspected boat, which points to the fact that there exists a feeling of insecurity from a dread of pirates even between this and Whampoa. Whilst below Whampoa they seem to be hovering about and lying in wait to pounce on any prey that may come within their reach. The lighter Jack is reported to have been visited by these aquatic pests on her downward trip the other day when opposite to the Second Bar Pagoda. But they found nothing valuable on board to carry off, and not willing to encumber themselves with bulky articles, retired very much disappointed. The lighter returned to Whampon and reported the circumstance to the Chetor's gun-vessel Feeloong, whose gallant commander thereupon brought his tactics into play, and after putting a few of his fighting men on board the lighter, ordered her to proceed and anchor at the very spot where the pirates boarded her, whilst the Flying Dragon herself was to be on the qui vive at a distance, watching the display of an arranged signal from the lighter. But the pirates were not to be so easily entrapped consequently the programme of the gallant

have commenced operations much sooner this year in order to provide themselves with funds for the new-year festivities, it crosses one's mind how long it is since we. had a sight of one of Her Majesty's Gunboats. The Chetoi's mosquito fleet seem to be all occupied somewhere else, and although one of them occasionally puts in an appearance here, of what advantage will it be to shut the door of the stable after the steed is stolen? The marrying season of the Celestials has commenced-processions in the streets and entertainments affoat are now almost the

commander for a brush with them fell

through-to his great disappointment. Thus

with pirates and ladrones, who seem to

order of the day with our long-tail friends. In the stead of bracing North wind, we have had Easterly and South-Easterly winds up to this time, which must have been unfavorable hitherto to training for our coming carnival of races. Mr Brown, who was wounded about two years ago when a revenue officer, has returned perfectly cured of the wound, but the ball has not been extracted. The zeal and daring which Mr Brown, displayed in the service of his Imperial master, particularly onthe occasion when he was wounded, for which he has received no extra compensation, will it is to be hoped, be taken into the debtor. His Lordship said that the consideration by the Inspector General, whose pleasure Mr Brown is now waiting for his re-enlistment in the Customs' staff.

whilst the Celestial's countrymen look upon the affair as a "curio" pidgin with the query on the lips of every astounded bandeira was not seen flying for some ten

> SUPREME COURT CRIMINAL SESSION.

(Before the Hon. the CHIEF JUSTICE.)

November 20th, 1868. The Court sat at 10.45; when Wong Ayew, found guilty on the 18th, for having obtained money under false pretences, was , brought up for sentence. His Lordship | The Chief Justice suggested that the esremarked that the offence of which prisoner had been convicted was of a very bad cha- rights of parties then considered. \$1,600 racter; he had imposed upon the credulity | was stated to be the likely out-turn of the of two women; and had used his know- cargo; and his Lordship again asked wheledge of English for that purpose. He ther that could not be made the basis of an would be imprisoned for two years with arrangement between parties. hard labor.

shroff) and Lee Avuet (shoemaker) were and Reynvaan. endeavored to bribe the constable in charge | to meet the acquirements of the Ordinance of the prisoner above-named.

hereafter. given to all prisoners in Gaol, under the liness, called by himself. tion as to quality.

The Chief Justice, in passing sentence, riff. upon the most conclusive evidence. In riff could not serve a writ upon himself,

evening these proved unsuccessful. With which existed against the last prisoner, they (laughter). a favourable tide, however, matters were had attempted to destroy the very protecimproved, and the Behar was got from her | tion which, at great expense, the Governunfortunate situation and taken into the ment endeavoured to throw about the Chi mud bed on Monday morning. She has of nese residents in the Colony, Chun Achow course suffered a deal of damage on the part | was then sentenced to twelve months' hard that struck the rocks, but little estimate of labor, to pay a fine of \$100, or to be further that can be given. She is to be supplied imprisoned for six months. The same senwith a new deck, and what with that and | tence was passed upon Lee Ayuet, the only the repairs of the damages will certainly be difference being that his fine was only \$25. The Sessions were then adjourned for a

week, when the Yancey Murder case again IN ADMIRALTY.

Vice Admiralty Court, (Mr M. S. Tonnochy), the sanction of the Court was given terror into their hearts. A party of three him to put ballast on board the French ladrones seem to have set out with a mis- barque Ocean, upon her cargo being disin the neighbourhood of Matow, they came | Ocean has been seized upon three bottomry across an individual who was carrying on | bonds, and ballast was deemed a necessity

> COMMON LAW. YUBY CHEONG v. REYNVAAN. Return of Writ of Foreign Attachment

This was the return of the amended write to attach certain cargo on board the barque Leen Fa, alleged to be the property out of the hands of the man, and made William Reynvaan. Mr Hayllar, instruct ed by Mr Francis (for Mr Gaskell), appear ed for the plaintiff. Mr Pollard, Q.O., (instructed by Mr.

Caldwell) appeared for leave to appear on behalf of Messrs Jenny & Co. (Manila); he appeared for Mr G. B. Falconer and Mr day, at ten o'clock. of the ladrones seems to be to throw a Monset besides. The timber in dispute handful of pepper or gunpowder at the had been stopped in transitu by Messrs Jenny, and they contended that plaintiff could not attach goods which did not belong to Reynvaan. The bills of lading had not been delivered to any one; but he saw the Postmaster in Court, and he supposed that his learned friend intended to make him a garnishee, though it had been decided by Mr Adams that no officer of the Crown could be a garnishee. Mr Pollard admitted that if the goods were proved not to belong to Messrs Jenny, then he had nothing to say about Reynvaan.

Mr Havllar objected to Mr Pollard's appearance for Messrs Jenny, and said that he had a prior title if he could prove his prima facie case. It was only a matter of practice, however.

Mr Pollard explained that he had logus standi as representing the garnishee, independent of his application for leave to appear for Mesers Jenny; and it was thereupon agreed to go upon the legal right first, and then (failing that) Mr Pollard could proceed upon the equitable right by lien or otherwise. The learned Q.C. explained that the cargo of timber was shipped by Messrs Jenny & Co. to the account on risk of William Revnyaan, who was to obtain possession of the goods upon payment of a draft. This draft had never been paid, the bills of lading were lying in the Post-office, and the goods were therefore in dispute.

Mr Hayllar then proceeded to show cause of action, and described the loss of \$2,084 unon a charter party entered into between one Glusenkamp (signing for Reynvann Brothers & Co.) and the plaintiff. The facts, as previously stated, are—that Mesers Reynvaun chartered from Messrs Arnhold, Karberg & Co. the ship in question (Java) at 45 cents a picul, and afterwards effected a sub-chaiter of the vessel for 38 cents to the plaintiff, on condition of immediate payment. The \$1,500, amount of 38 cents charter, was never paid to the captain consequently, the plaintiff lost that amount; and according to an arrangement with the the Solomon's Group; but, after taking in- the wounded, and push to the left, the only 65 and 92, the mean being 80." In order captain, the difference between the subpicul) had also to be paid.

the property of William Reynvaan was the 7th ultimo in a very exhausted state, men were forcing their way through the first issue, in the proportion of forty acres sought to be attached, while the firm of Reynvann Brothers & Co. was the avowed party to the charter party.

The Chief Justice said this was one of the evils arising from the use of "Co. which was often nothing else but a cloak forfraud. They had a better plan in America, by a clause enforcing two members to constitute a firm or "Co." The law here was

very defective on that point. goods, and the fact that the terms of the Ordinance required communication with goods might be kept for two years in the

case was accepted as proved. give evidence regarding the partners, stated that he believed there was another partner. Mr Pollard said that private property of | which was solely the property of Captain | partners could not be attached by writ.

Mr Hayllar submitted that credit was | Herald. given to Revnyaan. Mr Pollard replied that in a prima facte case absolute proof was necessary.

tate be placed into bankruptoy, and the

Mr Pollard said it was impracticable, as Messrs Jenny & Co. had nothing whatever Chun Achow (Messrs Bonnett & Co.'s to do with the fight between Yuey Cheong

as to partnership.

the writ and was here now.

On the application of the Marshal of the

wood was paid for by Messrs Jenny & Co., | compensation will be no trifle. and had been since delivered to Mesers

Siemssen & Co. Mr Pollard explained that Mr Falconer was the registered owner of the ship, that Reynvaan was the registered mortgagee, that 63/100ths of this mortgage had been assigned to Murello, and that Monset paid \$1,100 for the remainder of the interest on the mortgage (37/100ths); but the learned counsel added that Monset held only an equitable, not a legal, interest in the vessel The case was here adjourned till Mon-

WRECK OF THE NEPTUNE. field, was lost on her way from Shanghai to with the war in New Zealand for many Newcastle, by striking on a reef not named on the chart, about 9 p.m. on the 23rd August The loss occurred principally through the gross neglect of the second mate, who was in charge of the deck at the close on the breakers, and in the confusion | the official despatch of Colonel M'Donnell, of the moment he ordered the helm to be who was in command of the colonial forces. put hard up, which run her with greater At about four a.m., on the 7th September, speed on the reef; whereas, had he put the a body of men, consisting partly of Eurohelm down, she would have gone round on | peans and partly of friendly natives, started fixed on the reef, with only four feet water, bush, a native was sent up a tree to amounting to 25,000 shares. So far up in the ravines; and sometimes white to leeward, and nearly on her beam ends. The reconnoitre. Smoke was seen, and in a as can at present be ascertained, the travellers who went through the country boats were got ready as soon as possible, but few minutes the men came upon a few new company is successfully floating under native safeguard saw large quartz breakers being all round the vessel, except bark buts, which were fired into into the market. The promises of profit veins. Several of the Maori tribes were at a few feet between her and the reefs, it by the Kupapas (the native allies), held out are abundant. It is proposed to war with the British colonists, so that the would have been certain death to leave the | when the inmates rushed out, leaving two | utilise the vast resources of the islands of | mineral region on that island was effectualship during the night; and morning was men killed. The track was followed, and a the South Pacific, by forming an institu- ly closed to prospectors until last year. anxiously waited for, when the boats were creek crossed, but on ascending the opposite tion upon principles somewhat similar to The New Zealand mines which have bitherwith great difficulty got over the edge of bank, where a palisading was erected, a those so successfully adopted by the old to been productive are placed on the midthe reef into the interior. The quarter-boat sharp fire from an invisible foe was en- East India Company, and a commencement was so much damaged that all hands were countered. The fire was returned, but in a lis to be made at the Fiji group, because exobliged to get into the long-boat—thirteen few minutes the men were fired upon from traordinary facilities are offered there for in all, including the captain's wife. About | front, right, and rear. Still, except within | European settlement, and a limited but 9 a.m., 24th, sail was made on the boat, the palisading in the clearing in the front, thriving white population already exists. and an opening sought for to clear the reef; no enemy was to be seen. Colonel M'Don- The climate is said to be admirable, and the but, after sailing round the interior till nell at once came to the conclusion that it situation excellent. The prospectus states

dusk without perceiving any safe outlet, would be impossible to rush, and if success- that, being "within the tropics, but only they at last saw an opening and got clear. ful, to hold the place, for the enemy were ten or twelve days' steam or sail from Mel-On leaving the reefs they had about 180 lbs. | not only occupying it, but were posted in | bourne, the islands enjoy, owing to the preof biscuit and 28 gallons of water, and, the the bush on every side many of them in valence of the south-east; trade winds, a supply being small, the captain's first inten- rata trees which were hollow and loophol- temperate and healthy climate, the thermotion was to make for the south-east end of ed. He determined, therefore, to collect meter throughout the year ranging between to consideration the probability of meeting point that appeared open. The march was to encourage early occupation of the comcharter and the original charter (7 cents a with ill treatment among the natives, the accordingly commenced, Major Von Temp- pany's lands in Fiji, the provisional directors captain altered his mind and steered for sky being left with a body of men to form offer free grants of land held under trans-Mr Pollard here referred to the fact that | Clevelard Bay, where they arrived safe on a rear guard. While M Donnell and his ferable warrant to shareholders under the having subsisted on four ounces of biscuit | bush, which was a matter of some difficulty, | to every twenty shares subscribed for, and per day and three-quarters of a pint of as there were twelve wounded men to carry, one town lot of half an acre to every subwater. The captain's chart was rather old | the rear guard was attacked by a large body | scriber for fifty shares ; and it is also fixed and on a very small scale, Cleveland Bay of natives, and completely surrounded. It that land may be taken up by shareholders not being narked on it as a settlement, and was here that Major Von Tempsky and his at 7s. 6d. per acre. This land is not to be consequently the captain was not aware brother officers, who were flighting with selected later than June 30, 1869, within that he was so near relief, and beached the great bravery, fell, and it was at this spot | the areas first thrown open for settlement boat on the Magnetic Island to obtain that the principal casualties occurred. It in the neighbourhood of Suva harbour. It water. Water was found above a mile and was only after the greatest difficulty, and is proposed to send the first steamer under Some conversation then ensued as to the the beat was got off the beach, and sail was their way out. In the meantime, M'Don- end of November next. made with a view to work tide work along | nell's party, endeavoured to get out of the the coast with the hopes of reaching Bowen | bush as best they could, and at dusk they | "Joint-stock Planter's Association, Limitin a few days. But fortunately their suffer- reached the opening at Ahi Pai pa. Here ed," has also appeared upon the scene. Its ings ended sooner than they expected; they received a parting volley from the en- proposed capital is £10,000, with power to custody of the Court, during which time they met the steamship Boomenang coming emy, who followed yelling, and commenced increase; subdivided into 2,000 subscribers' the debtor might surely be notified. Mr out of Cleveland Bay, were picked up, and a war dance in the open ground, out shares of £2 10s. each, and 100 cultivators' The arrival here of a Celestial from Aus- Pollard repeated that the goods might be taken on to Port Denison, where a subscrip- of the bush. A volley from the retreating shares of £50 each. The cultivators' shares tralia with his espoused English lady, forms | William Reynvaan's but not Reynvaan | tion was got up for the benefit of the dis- force, however, caused the dance to are for intending settlers on the property of

tressed crew, and was very handsomely be concluded rather abruptly. At about the company at Suva Harbour, Fiji Islands, Yuey Cheong, plaintiff, was then called. met. The captain reported himself and ten o' clock at night, the camp was who will proceed as overseers on the estate, He proved the payments made on account | crew to the harbour-master of Port Denison | reached, and the survivors of the rear guard | under the superintendence of the manager, of the charter-party and agreement with who ordered them on to Sydney. The cap- arrived next morning, just as a party was on certain easy terms, by which the cultihearer "Can catchee No. 2?"-Boy Jones | the captain, and proved also the facts tain's wife, who was in a very exhausted about to be despatched in search of them. vator gets £52, with rations for a year, and above stated connected therewith. Mr state when picked up, soon recovered under Colonel M'Donnell pays the highest compli- afterwards, if he chooses to leave the service Francis (managing clerk to Mr Gaskell, the very kind treatment she met with on ments to the courage and daring of the offi- of the association, he is to be entitled to a days (rehoisted since), was that the tailor the plaintiff's attorney) having proved the board the Boomerang; and Captain Scho- cers, and states his confidence that if Major free grant of forty acres. The objects of the copies of the charter-party, the prima facie field takes this opportunity of returning Von Tempsky had lived a few minutes company are to encourage the growth and thanks to Captain. Harley for his kindness longer much fewer men would have been manufacture of sugar, which has always Mr G. B. Falconer, who was called to and humanity to himself and the distressed lost. It appears, however, according to proved a fruitful source of wealth in this crew. The ship struck in latitude 12.54 S., M'Donnell's statement, that most of the part of the world, and in view of which they longitude 161.45 E., and with the cargo, men became dispirited when they found liave secured a large grant of land. Schofield, was totally uninsured. -Sydney The conduct of the Kupapas was excellent. now engressing a large share of attention.

> THE AUSTRIAN COUNT IN TROUBLE.

(From the Java Bode, 29th October.

particulars.

might have to take himself into custody Count von Attems, and of Von Schonborn | who fell, the Wellington Independent says: | vouacked at Bandjar, whence detachments Mr Hayllar said he thought it was agrees exactly with that of the person who known. His name is identified with many the neighbouring campongs. A portion of enough that Mr Tonnochy had answered is now in custody at Sourabaya.

His Lordship said that it was against the Von Attems, who has lately been the sub- years. In the Waikato, at Opotiki, and their submission." first principles of law. If Mr H. would ject of conversation, partly on account of at Patea he has done the colony such good We cannot believe that, with this, the look at Blackstone, or any of the books, he | the liberality with which the money slipped | service as will cause his memory to be held | Bali expedition can be regarded as ended. an interest in the ship and freight. The the contrary be the fact, the demand for

THE WAR IN NEW ZEAL IND.

(From the Melbourne Argus, Oct. 12.)

Disastrous news has reached us from the

seat of hostilities in New Zealand. The intelligence to hand when the last mail was desnatched was of a favourable character, the strongly fortified pa, Te Ngutuotemanu, having just been captured, after a resolute defence, by a force of 270 men under the command of Colonel M'Donnell and Major Von Tempsky. A few days ago, however, particulars were brought of a most disastrous engagement with the natives, in which five officers, including Major Von Tempsky, This vessel, commanded by Captain Scho- (whose name has been honourably associated years), Capt. Buck, Capt. Palmer, Lieut. Hastings, and Lieut. Hunter, and fourteen men were killed. The wounded numbered twenty-four, and there were several men missing. The native allies were far time of the accident. The man on the look- more fortunate than the Europeans, as they out reported breakers ahead three times be- never lost a man and killed fifteen of the fore he took any notice of the warning, and enemy. The following are the particulars then it was almost too late, as the ship was of this unfortunate affair, as gathered from the other tack and very likely got clear of from the camp at Waihi, with the intention the reef-she being close hauled on the port | of making an attack on Te Rue-aruru and tack, when she struck—steering about south | returning by Te Ngutuotemanu. The track by west the direction of the reef running however, was unfortunately lost, and Coloabout S.S.E. and N.N.W. The first intima- nel M'Donnell found himself in a totally of Messrs. Brewer and Evans to Melbourne, would not permit miners to invade their tion Captain Schofield got of the danger unknown locality. After several hours had the "Polynesia Company Limited" was territory. Many of the Maori chiefs have was the vessel striking, when it was too late been spent in endeavouring to find a way started, with a capital of £250,000, in golden ornaments made rudely from large to save her. In five minutes she was firmly out of the thick and almost impenetrable 50,000 shares of £5 each, the first issue nuggets which they said had been picked

the enemy in such force on all sides of them.

tems, who is now lodged at Spurabaya at not include the loss they must have suffered further. the expense of the State, a friendly hand when we were fighting our way out." Accommunicates to us the following further cording to a special correspondent of a Wanganui paper, two very strong and dis-This person, who in the Netlerlands call- | tinct accounts are given of the affair-the ed himself Count von Schonborn, was intro- one throwing the whole blame on duced by the Austrian Consul there, on Colonel M'Donnell, for taking his men false papers, which he showed, when he into a dense bush, where surprise by side 4 were killed, and 12 wounded, inclunext brought up for sentence, for having The writ was here smended, by consent, succeeded in obtaining a sum of f7000; by the rebels was so easy, and the other ding one officer. "The affair is as good as forged bills, from the Netherlands India entirely exonerating him from blame, ended." So runs a telegram, received by ing. Trading Bank. Discovered, and pursued, It is further stated that the men are very us the day before yesterday, from Soura-The Unief Justice observed that the pun- Mr Tonnochy, sheriff, was next called as he went to Belgium, where he sojourned much dissatisfied with the commanding bays, and immediately published. ishment for bribery was fine and imprison- garnishee of certain office furniture former- under the name of Count de Salis. From officer for leaving the dead in the hands of It is extended and confirmed by the Jament, but without hard labor. The pri- ly the property of Messrs Reynvaan, Bro. there he departed to Alexandria, where he, the enemy, and it is said that but for the vasche Courant of yesterday, in the followsoner in the last case of bribery at the there & Co.; but it appears that, although as Count Aursperg, also victimised a bank. interference of a gallant officer, whose con- ing manner. "According to telegraphic previous Sessions was sentenced to three these goods had been seized by the Sheriff From this place he departed, via Caylon, to duct has lately been the subject of inquiry, reports received from Bali, and dated the days' imprisonment, to pay a fine of \$100, and sold at auction for \$390 odd, the She- Brisbane, in Australia. There he continued it was likely the expression of diseatisfaction 24th, 25th, and 26th instant, the troops afand to be imprisoned until such time as the riff (as contended by Mr Pollard) had no his frauds on a large scale. He bought a would have grown into open mutiny, ter the 11th Battalion had disembarked at fine be paid. He thought this was rather vague | right so to do. A precept from the Suni- | yacht there, departed with it for Timor, Others are disposed to censure Colonel Teboonkoes on the 21st and 22nd, marched being unlimited imprisonment in the event many Court, obtained by Messra Melchers & and finally came to Sourabaya, where he M'Donnell for leaving the rear guard against Banjar, on the morning of the 24th, of the fine not being paid. He did not ex- Co., was being carried out when Mr Ton- discounted a bill at the Rotterdam Bank; behind, and it is said but for the friendly After having taken and burned the chief actly know how that would be dealt with nochy seized the property on the authority but shortly afterwards he was taken into natives, not one of the number would have campones, Dentjarik, Bandjar di atas. of the writ; and he had held the proceeds custody. He discharged the crew of his got back to the camp alive. Further Bandjar di bawah, and kali Arget, they been sentenced to two months, imprison-The Attorney General said it would be by consent of both parties ever since. The yacht at Sourabaya, and requested the Australian described the Australian described to hatred and dealt with by the Executive. He reminded Summary Court precept had been with trian Consul here (Batavia) by a telegram, points, and the enemy was driven out contempt of government. His offence conhis Lordship that some sort of labor was drawn; and the Sheriff appeared as a wit- to inform him when the frigate Donau, Colonel M Donnell, who has proved him- with great loss. On our side 3 were killed, sisted in reading in a wine-shop the revoluwhich is making a scientific voyage, would self to be a brave and efficient officer on and 12 wounded. The fighting was very tionary programme attributed to a "Cen-Gaol Ordinance, at the Governor's discre- Mr Hayllar said that Mr Tonnochy did arrive here, as he wished to depart with her many provious occasions, and who has desperate; our troops at every step were en- tral Committee of Action," which was orinot appear in his official capacity of She to China and Japan. The bills which he usually been singularly successful in his gaged with the enemy, whose champions at ginally published by the Pays; and in say. sought to turn into money, were drawn by operations against the rebels. As to the every turn, pushed through our ranks. Of ing to a waiter, "You should blush to be baid that the prisoners had been convicted The Chief Justice replied that the She the Austrian Ministry of Finance on the other officers who took part in the engage. The Chief Justice replied that the She the Austrian Ministry of Finance on the other officers who took part in the engage. The Chief Justice replied that the She the Austrian Ministry of Finance on the other officers who took part in the engage.

farewell, and wish him 'God speed.'"

THE FIJI ISLANDS. Our (Melbourne Argus) last mail summary contained a long account of the agreement entered into by King Thakombau, of Fiji and Messrs. Brewer and Evans, of Melbourne, which, for the payment of a comparatively small sum, viz. of £9,000, due to the United States Government of America, and a pension of 1,000dol. (£200) per annum to the king-secured to those gentle- ern island; and the mountainous regions men 200,000 acres of land, the sole privi- in which the treasures have been discoverlege of issuing banknotes in the islands, and | ed have been known to be auriferous for a immunity from taxation. On the return long time, but the natives were hostile and

The prospectus of another company, the

The whole subject of Fijian enterprise is Colonel M'Donnell deeply deplored the loss | The trade has till very lately been mainly that had been sustained, but he states in | in the hands of New South Wales merchants, his despatch that he is satisfied the loss of | who have, however, contented themselves the enemy was heavier. He says:-"The with doing no more than was necessary to Kupapas killed fifteen, and the known num- secure a present profit. It is more than ber killed by the Europeans was thirteen, | probable that when Victorian merchants Concerning the Austrian Count von At- making a total of twenty-eight. This does come upon the scene they will go much

THE WAR IN BILL

(From the Java Bode, 29th October.) Baniar is taken, and many of the enemy killed. The fighting was hard. On our

Angle-Anstrian Bank, and payable by Glyn ment, but one opinion is expressed of their hands. Ida Madoh Rahi, and the remain. misery!"

are the same : while the description sent | \_ "The career of Von Tempsky is well | have been sent out to chastise, if necessary, a sharp skirmish, vigorous assault, and the hostile population have forsaken the Sourabaya, 19th Oct.—The Austrian Count | hard-fought encounter during the last five | cause of Ida Madeh Rahi, and have made

through his fingers, and partly on account in honour by all who respect brave deeds | So long as Ida Madeh Rahi, living or dead, This point, however, was reserved for of his coming here in a little vessel too and gallant men. Captain Buck, too, was does not fall into our hands, the object of small to defy the dangers of the ocean with, known as a gallant officer in Her Majesty's | the expedition is not attained, and the Captain Collinson, master of the Leen too insignificant to be able to demand a sa- service, who, had he been afforded the Government would not have made the Fa on the voyage between Manila and this lute from the English flag,—that same opportunity, would have further dis demand for his surrender, in their ultiport, said that when he returned, he gave Count A. is, at the request of the agent of tinguished himself in that of the colony. matum, if they did not intend, and had up the ship and cargo to Mr Falconer, as the Rotterdam Bank, provisionally impri- . . . The late Captain Buck joined not expressly given orders to the comthe registered owner. The bills of lading soned here; and a residence is designated the 65th Regiment as ensign in 1851; mander of the expedition, to persevere were signed by witness, given to Monset for him in the State civil prison. It is said he was appointed lieutenant in 1853, until that demand was complied with. (supercargo); and the timber was consigned | that we have to do with a Chevalier d' In- | and attained the rank of captain in | Nevertheless, the taking of Bandjar is a to Reynvaan; he was in Reynvaan's em- dustric of the most formidable kind; such 1860. He served with the 65th gratifying event. The Government over ploy. He had been paid all his wages by as never landed in Java before. It is to be for many years in New Zealand; but, that dessa was illegally claimed by Ida hoped, for the sake of those interested, on the occasion of its going home, exchang- Madeh Rahi; and from it the lawful chief he had given \$1,100 for the 37/100ths of may be proved that our pretended Austri- our old and intimate friend and fellow- followers had fortified themselves; and the ship to Reynvaan. He had therefore an Count is a pseudo Von Attems, as, if the worker on this journal, Henry Charles Hol- against the walls thereof the 14th Battalion land Hastings, we can scarcely trust our- had repeatedly pushed its head. Hence it selves to speak. Originally an officer in a is doubly felicitous to that Battalion, and cavalry regiment, Lieutenant Hastings, to the 11th sent to reinforce it, to have after taking part in some rough work in In- succeeded now. Bandjar is not only an dia, emigrated to New Zealand, and ulti- important place in a military point of view, mately came to Wellington. He then be- Its capture was, on account of former came connected for a short time with the events, an affair of honour for our flag. Evening Post, and afterwards joined the Great and legitimate will be the self-satisstaff of this journal, and remained on it for faction of Colonel de Brabant, who so nearly four years. A well educated man, shortly after his arrival in Bali, and the a ready writer, and a genial companion, he disembarkation of fresh troops, has made was liked by everyone; and when the day use of the offensive means at his disposal, came that he resolved to lay down the pen | with such a brilliant result. Speaking a to take up the sword, no one was there of short time ago of Bali affairs, we mentioned his friends who did not bid him a hearty a soldier (Pito), who had been missed, and who was supposed to have been killed in a Further news received vid Sydney, by ravine. It however appeared afterwards, telegraph, states that Colonel M'Donnell that he was not killed, but had deserted has, in disgust, resigned the command of and that it was he who inflicted the shot the colonial forces, and that the Maori King | wounds on the 8 men who were last has callen upon all Hau-haus to join the wounded, as he, seated in a tree at his ease, rebels at Patea. A general war is now ap- shot them down one after the other. Finally he was discovered by a marine, and our men, furious as they were, soon riddled him out. He fell from the tree pierced with many balls.

RICH QUARTZ MINES IN NEW

Recent papers announce the opening in New Zealand of some of the richest quartz mines of the world. They are in the northdle island, where the Maoris are few in

On the northern island, the rich deposits.

so far found, are all in quartz. It was not until July that the stamps in the Thames district, 65 miles east of Auckland, in latitude 39°, began to run, and the results are without a parallel in the records of quartz milling. The Hunt mill, with four stamps, in two weeks, turned out 10,700 ounces of gold, 920 fine, worth \$19 per ounce, and \$203,300 in all; or at the rate of \$5,000,000 per year. This was probably obtained from rock which had been carefully selected, for the proprietor had made a bet of \$500 that he would get 10,000 ounces in the first month. As a stamp crushes usually less than two tons per day, we may assume that not more than 100 tons of quartz were crushed in the fortnight, making the yield \$2,000 per ton on an average. The mill has twelve stamps, but the supply of water was so scanty for the first two weeks that it was not possible to run more than four stamps. We know of nothing to approach this wealth of quartz, except the Morgan mine, at Carson Hill, in California which, a half from the beach. At nopp on the 8th with severe loss, that they were able to cut the company's auspices to Fiji about the December, 1851, produced \$2,800,000, according to the statement of one person who was at the mine during the whole period; though another person, who was also there, and was long interested as an owner, says the sum was only \$1,500,000. But even at the highest estimate the Morgan did not yield more than \$35,000 per week on an average; and a great number of workmen were engaged in extracting it, fifty arrastras having been busy at one time in crushing the rock. The Princeton mine, on the Mariposa estate, has excelled all others in California in its total production, which has been \$4,000,000, and in the richness of large bodies of milling rock, which yielded \$70 per ton for a long time. The Eureka has never averaged \$60 per ton, and the Amador and Reis mines yield only about \$20, and are extremely profitable at those rates. These are the most valuable quartz mines of this State, and yet how poor do they appear in comparison with the Hunt? Time, however, may prove that the gold deposit in the latter is merely a pocket.

. But the Hunt is not the only rich mine in the Thames District. The Golden Crown extracted \$19,000 from sixteen tons of quartz, the Bank of England \$380 to the ton, the Eureka \$170 to the ton, the Tookey \$80 to the ton, and the Alburnia \$950 from 115 pounds of quartz. The last was of course from a pocket, for it is at the rate of about \$18,000 to the ton, and of course if they had much quartz of that character they would not stop after crushing 115 pounds Many pockets have been found in California with rock richer than that of the Alburnia. but in every case they have been in mines which have not paid for permanent work-

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Commission according Scale, viz.:— For sums not excéedi Above £2 and not ex 2.—No Money Orde

tional part of a Penny. 3.—Orders drawn in dom upon Hongkong, 8 hama, will be paid at th at which Money Orders the time of their presen 4.—Alphabetical Li **Money Order Offices** i dom, shewing the Cou are situated, are hung ence at this Office, an

and Yokohama. 5.—Applicants for b furnish, in full, the sur the initial of one Christ the Remitter and the I ter or Payee be a Peer dinary title will be suffi usual designation of "Baring Brothers" w mere term Messrs., suc vington," or the name of ing under a title which the names of the person

der is to be paid only 's have the option of givin the name of the Payer Order will be crossed in Cheques are commonly are intended to be paid .—When an Order is a Bank, a receipt by any ficient, provided the Ord

the name of the receiving

as "Carron Co." is inac

6.—The Remitter on

presented by some Perso the employ of such Bank 8. The signature of t hey Order to be affixed place provided for the Payee be unable to write receipt by making his in of a Witness, who must his address in the presen -- Who pays the Order,

9.—Should the Paye desire to receive paymen which the Order was issu Office than that in which ginally drawn, the transi provided the Order b Postmaster of the Office drawn. In such case a t issued, the Commission which will be deducted f the new Order. 10.-In the event

iniscarrying or being lo be granted on a written the Payee, (containing particulars, and accomp tional Commission) to th Original Order was payab 11.—On the receipt of tion, orders will be given

Post-Office Notifications.

Newspapers, Books, &c., until 8 P.M.

on the 30th Nov. Letters, &c., may

be posted in the night box from 8 r.u.

All Letters posted between 7 and 8 A.M.

addition to the usual postage, with

Office is 8 A.M. and for Newspapers.

dressed to the United Kingdom via

Further, late letters (but Letters only) ad-

Marseilles or to Singapore, may

Sealed Boxes containing the correspondence

the East Side of the building.

addition to the postage.

Letters posted after 7 A.M. on the 1st Dec

ed until after the mail is closed.

may be used in payment of "Late Fees,

when the Stamp or Stamps represent-

ing the late fee should be placed on the

lar will be conducted in the Coins pre-

the Proclamation of the 22nd January,

granted until 5 P.M. on the 30th inst.

1.—On the 1st October next, and thence-

forward Money Orders will be issued at

this Office and at the Agencies thereof at

Shanghai and Yokohama on all the Money

Great Britain and Ireland, for amounts not

exceeding £10, at the rate of Exchange

Current for Each Mail, and charged with

Commission according to the following

For sums not exceeding £2,.....12

Above £2 and not exceeding £ 5,....24

at which Money Orders are being issued at

4.—Alphabetical Lists of over 3,700

Money Order Offices in the United King-

dom, shewing the Counties in which they

are situated, are hung up for public refer

5.—Applicants for Money Orders must

furnish, in full, the surname, and, at least

the Remitter and the Payee; if the Remit-

ter or Payee be a Peer or a Bishop, his or-

dinary title will be sufficient, if a firm, the

usual designation of such firm, such as

"Baring Brothers" will suffice; but the

mere term Messrs., such as "Messrs. Ri-

vington," or the name of a Company trad

ing under a title which does not consist of

as "Carron Co." is inadmissible.

the names of the persons composing it, such

6.—The Remitter on stating that the Or-

have the option of giving or withdrawing

the name of the Payee; in such case, the

Order will be crossed in the same way that

Cheques are commonly crossed when they

7.—When an Order is presented through

a Bank, a receipt by any person will be suf-

are intended to be paid through a Bank.

the initial of one Christian name, both

Order Offices in the United Kingdom

F. W. MITCHELL

Postmaster General.

lower left-hand corner.

of a Dollar.

Bank Notes.

Scale, viz.:—

and Yokohama.

tional part of a Penny.

the time of their presentation.

General Post-Office,

Hongkoug, November 20, 1868.

Fee as well as the postage is prepaid.

addressed to places to which they can

not be forwarded unpaid, will be open-

of Box Holders will be received at the

window set spart for the purpose, on

MAILS BY THE "CHINA."-

following morning.

Late Fee of 18 cents.

The Contract Packet "CHINA"

HAMPAGNE BEER STOUT.

and MUSTARD,

TOIL, RED LEAD ARMSTRONG. 3 General Commission Agent, AII DIVE

SALE Overland Mail direct cturers, an Invoiceof. lilver English Lever noderate prices. ARMSTRONG tioneer and General pmmission Agent. dings.

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31, 1868. ETAL, 20/28 oz. and

plow METAL Keel 13lb. with NAILS. CAY, WISE & Co.

offer for Sale at very a choice Assortment h WINES, as: NESBERGER

ABINET. R CABINET. in quarts and pints.

, in quarts and pints, CHAMPAGNE, in AMPAGNE, in qua. MPAGNE.

N MOUSSEUX CABINET. DORDON, in quart,

ET, in pints. TKINSON & Co.

und other Arrivals. IN in red cases, 15 in white bottles.  $\bar{\lambda}$ , in 15 squares. stone bottles. TKINSON & Co.

ther late Arrivals. mburg Prime Mess

Prime Mess PORK. ce of Hoth's Prime BOLTROPE, Seiz-LINE, MARLINE LYARDS, SPUN-I'KINSON & Co.

L," "CHUSAN," eads and kilderkins. in hogsbeads. quarts and pints. bottle, quarts and BRANDY,

rom \$6 upwards. ger BRANDY and and OILMAN'S KINSON & Co.

EIVED,

5 Gallon Jars. UT in pints and hogsheads and

perior Old PORT

ndeman, Oporto.

COGNAO.

arian WINES.

PUSTAU & Co.

DSTEIN & Co.

ARLES ABRAHAM

o. 2, Wyndham

DWRA & Co. the employ of such Bank. 8.—The signature of the Payee of a Moplace provided for the purpose. If the Payee be unable to write he must sign the Private Soldiers, Peter Denny." Hogsheads and receipt by making his mark in the presence of a Witness, who must sign his name, with f Hogsheads. his address in the presence of the Officer who pays the Order. MBERT & Co

9.—Should the Payes of a Money Order desire to receive payment in the Country in

the new Order. 10.-In the event of a Money Order miscarrying or being lost, a duplicate will be granted on a written application from the Payce, (containing "the necessary particulars, and accompanied by an additional Commission) to the Office where the

Uriginal Order was payable, 11.—On the receipt of a similar applica-

tion, orders will be given to stop payment

Post-Office Notifications.

of a Money Order, or to renew a lapsed Order. The additional Commission in the last case will be deducted from the amount be dispatched with the usual Mails for of the new Order. Lapsed Orders must be Europe, &c., on TUESDAY, the 1st presented with the application for a new December, at 9 A.M., and the Post Office will be open for the reception of Ordinary Letters, Letters for Registration.

12.—But when it is desired that any error in the name of the Remitter or Payee should be corrected or that the amount of a Money Order should be repaid to the on the 30th Nov., until 7 A.M. on the Remitter, or that a Lapsed Order should be renewed for payment in the Country in which the Order was originally drawn. application must be made to the Chief on the 1st Dec., will be chargeable, in Money Order Office of such Country. This application must be accompanied by an additional Commission, unless it have re-The latest time for posting Letters at this ference to a Lapsed Order, in which case the Commission will be deducted from the Books, or Patterns 7 A. M. on the 1st | amount of the New Order.

13.—Repayment whether of an original, or renewed, or a duplicate Order, will not be made to the remitter until it has been ascertained that the advice has been canposted on board the Packet from 8.30 celled at the Office on which the Order was to 8.50 A.M. on payment of a late fee originally drawn. of 48 cents each, in addition to the postage, after which no Letters can be

14.—Payment of an Order must be obtained before the end of the Sixth Calendar Month after that in which it was drawn for instance, if drawn in January, paymen must be obtained before the end of July. otherwise the Order will become lapsed and a new Order (for which a second Com-All correspondence for places to which pre- mission, to be deducted from the amount payment is compulsory must be prepaid of the Order, will be charged) will become in Hongkong Postage Stamps.

Insufficiently-stamped Letters addressed to 15.—If an Order be not paid before the the United Kingdom will be sent on, end of the Twelfth Calendar Month after charged with a fine of One Shilling in that in which it was drawn, -for instance, if drawn in January and not paid before the end of the following January-all claim will not be forwarded unless the Late to the Money will be forfeited, unless, under peculiar circumstances, the Post Letters insufficiently stamped or unstamped Office of the Country in which the Order was drawn think proper to allow it.

ed and returned to the writers as early 16.—After once paying a Money Order as possible, but no guarantee can be by whomsoever presented, the paying Office will not be liable to any further claim. If given that such Letters, if posted after 8 p. m. on the 30th Nov., will be returna wrong payment, however, be made owing to negligence on the part of any Officer of Postage Stamps should be placed on the the Post Office, the Postmaster General of upper right hand corner of the corresthe Country or Colony in which the neglipondence, except in cases where they gence occurs will, if he see fit, require the Officer in fault to make good the loss.

17.-No Money Order will be paid unless the advice has been previously received. 18.—Additional Rules for greater secu- for their decision, All transactions in fractional parts of a Dolrity against fraud, and for the better working of the system generally will be made | first class Lives up to £1000 on a Single scribed by Ordinance 1, of 1864, and as occasion may require.

1864, and no other Coins, but those 19.—Should it appear that Money Orders therein specified will either be received are used by mercantile men, or others, or given in change as fractional parts either in the United Kingdom or at Hong kong, Shanghai or Yokohama, for the Payment for Postage Stamps must be made transmission of large sums of money, the in the current Dollars of the Colony or British or Colonial Post Office, as the case may be, will consider the propriety of in-Money Orders on any of the Money Order creasing the Commission, and will exercise Offices in the United Kingdom will be | the power of wholly suspending for a time the issue of Money Orders.

By Command. F. W. MITCHELL, Postmaster General

General Post Office. Hongkong, 22nd August, 1868.

1. It is hereby notified for general information that, the Contract between the Government of Mauritius and the Union Steam-ship Company, for the Conveyance of Mails once a Month between Ceylon and Mauritius, and between Mauritius and Natal, having terminated, the correspondence for Mauritius will be forwarded from this Office in the Mail for Aden, from whence it will be sent to its destination by the French Mail Packets leaving Aden for Reunion and Mauritius on the 23rd of each

2. No alteration has been made in the 2.—No Money Order to include a fracrates of Postage on correspondence addressed to Mauritius. 3.—Orders drawn in the United King-3. As the communication with Natal and dom upon Hongkong, Shanghai, and Yoko- the Cape of Good Hope is thus out off, the hama, will be paid at the rate of Exchange | correspondence for those Colonies, unless marked to be forwarded by Private Shir

will, in future, be sent in the Mails for London at the following rates of Postage, which must be paid in advance, viz :-Upon Letters sent by way of Southampton, .... 46 cents each ½ oz. When sent by way of ence at this Office, and also at Shanghai

Marseilles,.......... 54 ,, ,, Newspaper via Southampton, ..... 4 ,, ., ewspapers via Marseilles, ...... 6 ,, ,, ook Packets via South-

oz., 20 cents, above 4 oz. and not exceeding 8 oz.; and 20 cents for every additional 8:oz. Book Packets via Marseilles, 14 cents

under 4 oz : 28 cents above for and not exceeding 8 oz ; and 28 cents for every additional 8 ounces.

·F. W. MITCHELL,  $Postmaster\ General.$ der is to be paid only through a Bank, to General Post Office, Hongkong, 9th September,  $186\overline{8}$ .

thority of a Treasury Warrant dated the 1st | or on Goods stored therein, May last, Superintending, or First-Class Schoolmasters in the Army will, in future, be entitled to the same privileges in regard ficient, provided the Order be crossed with to Letters sent by or addressed to them on the name of the receiving Bank, and be their own private affairs as are at present presented by some Person known to be in enjoyed by Commissioned Officers in the Army Pand all Army Schoolmistresses wil be entitled (as Army Schoolmasters of all but the First-Class now are) to the same ney Order to be attixed to the Order in the privileges, in regard to their Letters, are enjoyed by non-commissioned Officers and

F. W. MITCHELL, Postmaster General.

General Post Office. Hongkong, July 31, 1868.

which the Order was issued, at some other | IT is hereby notified that, under the pro-Office than that in which the Order was ori- | I visions of a Treasury Warrant dated ginally drawn, the transfer will be granted, the 7th May, the Postage on a Letter not Reduction in the Rates or Premium. provided the Order be inclosed to the exceeding half-an ounce in weight posted TINTIL further notice the following An-Postmaster of the Office in which it was in Hongkong or at any of the Ports in U nual Rates will be charged for Fire drawn. In such case a new Order will be China and Japan addressed to Egypt, or Insurance, viz ;--issued, the Commission chargeable upon posted in Egypt addressed to Hongkong or Detached and Semi-detached which will be deducted from the amount of any of the Ports in China and Japan, and Dwelling Houses removed conveyed in the Mails by British Packet, is reduced from Twenty-four Cents to Twelve

For Letters exceeding half-an-ounce in weight a further rate of Twelve Cents for each half ounce is chargeable.

Hongkong, July 15, 1868,

Prepayment of the Postage is compulsory. F. W. MITCHELL. Postmaster General. General Post Office,

Insurances OCEAN MARINE INSURANCE

COMPANY. LONDON. Incorporated 1859.

CAPITAL, -£1.000.000. THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Company are prepared to accept Marine risks and issue Policies at current rates. AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co

Hongkong, June 6, 1867.

ALBERT LIFE ASSURANCE COMPANY. ESTABLISHED 1838

CAPITAL, £500,000. Managing Agents in China. \_ Messes. AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co., Hongkong. Referee, - J. Ivon MURRAY, Medical

THE Undersigned having been appointed . Managing Agents for the above Company are prepared to accept risks and issue Policies on Life Assurances. For further particulars, forms of proposals, &c., apply to

AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co. Managing Agents in China. Hongkong, June, 1867. LONDON AND PROVINCIAL MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY.

HE Undersigned having been appointed Agents in Hongkong for the above Company, are prepared to grant Marine Risks at current rates. AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.

Hongkong, March 6, 1868. LANCASHIRE INSURANCE.

COMPANY,

(FIRE AND LIFE)

CAPITAL, TWO MILLIONS STERLING AHE Undersigned are prepared to grant Policies against the Risk of FIRE on Buildings or on Goods stored therein, on Coals in Matsheds, on Goods on board Vessels and on Hulls of Vessels in Har-

bour, at the usual Terms and Conditions. Proposals for Life Assurances will be received, and transmitted to the Directors If required, protection will be granted on

For Rates of Premiums, forms of proposals or any other information apply to. ARNHOLD KARBERG & Co. Agents Hongkong & Canton. Hongkong, January 4, 1867.

JAVA SEA AND FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY. HE Undersigned having been appointed Agents at Hongkong and Canton for the above Company are prepared to grant Policies against Sea Risks at current rates. ARNHOLD KARBERG & Co. Hongkong, July 27, 1868. 27 jan 69

LANCASHIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.

TROM and after this date the following Rates will be charged on short period Not exceeding ) of the Annual Rate.

Insurances, viz:— Above 1| month and not exceeding three months, ..... Above 3 m'ths and not ,ex-

ceeding six ( ) months,..... Above 6 m'ths, The full Annual Rate. ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co., Agents, Lancashire Insurance Company. Hongkong, April 14, 1868.

PHŒNIX' FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY. LIVERPOOL, AND LONDON & GLOBE INSURANCE COMPANIES. HE Undersigned having been appointed Agents of the above Companies at this Port, are prepared to grant Policies against Fire to the extent of \$40,000 on Buildings,

or on Goods Stored therein. DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co. Hongkong, September 28, 1868. NORTH CHINA INSURANCE Co.

HE Undersigned, having been appointed AGENTS for the above Company at the Ports of Tamsus and KELUNG are prepared to Grant Policies of MARINE INSUR-ANCE at current rates. DODD & Co. Tamsui, 10th August, 1868.

IMPERIAL FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY. HE Undersigned having been appointed Port, are prepared to grant Policies against It is hereby notified that, under the au- Fire to the extent of \$30,000 on Buildings, GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.

Hongkong, August 24, 1864. NOTICE. IMPERIAL FIRE OFFICE. ROM and after this date the following Rates will be charged for Short Period nsuranceal : viz:---Not exceeding 1 month, & of the annual rate Above 11 (month and not exceeding 3,... } Above 3 months and not exceeding 6,... Above 6 months,..... the full annual rate. GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Cd.,

Agents, Imperial Fire Insurance Company. Hongkong, April 7, 1868. IMPERIAL FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.

from the Town, and their Contents! Other Dwelling Houses used strictly as such, and their Contents, . Godowne, Officas, Shope, &c. and their Contents.

GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co., Agents, Imperial Fire Insurance. Company. Hongkong, March 6, 1865.

insurances.

BOMBAY INSURANCE COMPANY FORBES & CO.'S CONSTITUENTS INSURANCE COMPANY.

THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Companies are prepared to accept Risks on the usual terms. GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co. Hongkong, February 26, 1868.

NORTH BRITISH AND MERCANTILE INSURANCE COMPANY. REDUCTION IN THE RATES OF PREMIUM. Detached and semi-detached Dwelling-Houses removed from Town, and their Contents. 🤰 per cent.

Other Dwelling-Houses used strictly as such, and their Contents. per cent. per annum, Godowns, Offices, Shops, &c.

per annum,

and their Contents. 1 per cent. GILMAN & Co., Agents North British and Mercantile Insurance Company. Hongkong, March 9, 1866.

NOTICE,

NORTH BRITISH AND MERCANTILE INSURANCE COMPANY. NROM and after this date the following Rates will be charged in Short Period Insurance, viz:—

Not exceeding one ! , t of the annual rate. Above 1 month, and not exceeding 3 months, . . . Above 3 months, and

not exceeding 6 months. the full Annual rate. Above 6 months. GILMAN & Co... Agents, North British and Mercantile Insurance Company.

Hongkong, April 7, 1868 NORTH BRITISH & MERCANTILE INSURANCE COMPANY.

Incorporated by Royal Charter and Special Acts of Parliament. ESTABLISHED 1809.

CAPITAL £2,000,000 ACCUMULATED FUNDS £2,233,927. ANNUAL REVENUE £497,263.

THE Undersigned Agents at Hongkong for the above Company are prepared to grant Policies against FIRE, to the extent of £10,000 on any Building, or on Merchandise in the same.

GILMAN & Co Hougkong, June 21, 1864. MANCHESTER FIRE ASSURANCE COMPANY OF MANCHESTER

AND LONDON. HE Undersigned have been appointed Agents for the above Company at Hongkong, Canton, Foochow, Shanghai and Bankow, and are prepared to grant Insurances at current rates. HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co. Hongkong, October 14, 1868.

NOTICE. MANCHESTER FIRE ASSURANCE COMPANY: THE following Rates will be clearged in

Not exceeding 1 month, 1 per cent. Above 1 month and not exceeding 3 months, \frac{1}{2} do. Above 3 months and not exceeding 6, ..... 3 Above 6 months,..... the full annual rate. HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.

Hongkong, April 8, 1868. LONDON:

ASSURANCE CORPORATION. LIFE ASSURANCE.

HE Undersigned are authorised to issue Life Policies for sums not exceeding HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.

Hongkong, October 14, 1868. THE LONDON ASSURANCE CORPORATION. HE Undersigned having been appointed Agents of the above Corporation are

prepared to grant Fire and Marine Insurance on the usual Terms. HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co. Hongkong, December 26, 1867. LONDON ASSURANCE CORPO-RATION:

Agents for the above Company at this II HE following rates will in future be charged for Short Period Insurances: e month, per cent. See months. . HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.

ngkong, April 7, 1868. HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.

NOTICE. ROM and after this date the following rates will be charged for Short Period Insurances, viz:-Not exceeding } { of the Annual Rate.

Above 1 month and not exceeding three months, ..... Above 3 m'the and not exceeding six months, .... Above 6 m'the, The full Annual Rate.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Managers, Hongkong Fire Insurance Company. Hongkong, April 7, 1868.

THE QUEEN INSURANCE COMPANY. CAPITAL, -Two MILLION STERLING. THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Company at this

port, are prepared to grant Policies against Fire, to the extent of £10,000, on Buildings or on Goods stored therein. MORGAN, LAMBERT & Co. Hongkong, May 20, 1808,

insurances.

ALLIANCE FIRE ASSURANCE COMPANY.

NOTICE. ROM and after this date the following rates will be charged for Short Period Insurances, viz:-Not exceeding } { of the Annual Rate.

Above 1 month and not exceeding three months, ..... Above 3 m'ths and not exceeding months,.....

Above 6 m'ths, The full Annual Rate. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Agents, Alliance Fire Assurance Company. Hongkong, April 7, 1868.

NOTICE.

BRITISH AND FOREIGN MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

IT HE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Insurance Company are prepared to grant Policies covering Marine risks at the current Rates. Policies can be made payable at all the principal ports throughout the World.

MORGAN, LAMBERT & Co.,

Hongkong, November 7, 1867. NOTICE.

THE QUEEN INSURANCE COMPANY 'I HE following Rates will be charged in future for short period Insurances, Not exceeding 1 month, & of the annual rate, Above 1 month and not

exceeding 3 months, 1 Above 3 months and not exceeding 6, ..... do. Above 6 months,..... the full annual rate. MORGAN, LAMBERT & Co.,

Agents the Queen Insurance Company. Hongkong, May 26, 1868. MERCHANT'S MUTUAL

MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY SAN FRANCISCO. PAID UP CAPITAL, \$500,000.

HE Undersigned having been appointed Agents in Hongkong and China for the above Company, are prepared to grant Policies at Current Rates. OLYPHANT & Co.

NOTICE.

UARDIAN ASSURANCE COMPANY OF LONDON.

Hougkong, August 9 1867.

ESTABLISHED 1821 CAPITAL £2,000,000.

HELUndersigned baying been appointed Agents of the above Company for Hongkong and Canton are prepared grant Policies at current rates.

OLYPHANT & Co. Hongkong, July 17, 1868. ROYAL INSURANCE COMPANY.

CAPITAL, £2,000,000. (LIFE DEPARTMENT.) 22 per Cent. per Annum Bonus declared during the last Fifteen Years on future for short period Insurances, all Profit participating Policies of Two

FIRE AND LIFE.

Years' standing. The utmost liberality practised in the settlement of all Claims, with the representatives of deceased Assurers. An Assurance for any sum not exceeding £1000 can be effected with the Undersigned without referring to Head-quarters.

By special authority of the Board, Claims are settled at once by the Undersigned without reference to England. Fees to Medical Referees paid by the

No forfeiture of Policy from unintentional mis-statement. Premiums payable Half-yearly or An- Company for that year divided pro rata to nually at the option of the Assured. Annual Premiums for an Assurance of £100 for the whole term of Life, including £2, 10s, per Cent, for Foreign Risk, which will be deducted during a visit to or a permament resident in Europe :-

Age.	WITHOUT PARTICIPATION	WITH PARTICIPATION
15 20 25 30 35 40 45 50 55	£3 19 8 4 3 8 4 8 2 4 13 11 5 0 0 5 8 0 5 17 11 6 11 7 7 11 1 8 16 0	£4 5 6 4 9 4 4 14 2 4 19 5 6 2 5 14 1 6 4 6 6 18 8 9 8 7

N.B. Intermediate ages charged propor For Forms, for effecting Life Assurances and for any further information, apply to. ROB. S. WALKER & Co., Agents. Hongkong, September 3, 1864.

AMICABLE INSURANCE OFFICE. I'HE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above INSURANCE OFFICE, are prepared to accept Marine Risks, and issue Policies on any first class Sailing Vessels or Steamers, on the usual THE Undersigned having been appointed terms, payable in case of loss, in CHINA, SINGAPORE, CALCUTTA, BOMBAY, or LONDON. ROB. S. WALKER & Co. Hongkong, June 17, 1864.

NOTICE.

ROYAL INSURANCE COMPANY. FILE following Rates will be charged in future for short period Insurances. viz :--

Not exceeding One } Month. Above One Month and not exceeding } 1 per cent. Three Months. Above Three Months and not exceeding } # per cent. Six Months.

Thefull Annual Rate Above Six Months, ROB. S. WALKER & Co., Agents, Royal Insurance Company. Hongkong, April 7, 1868,

insurances.

LIFE ASSURANCE. THE Undersigned have received Authority by a recent Mail to issue Life Policies for amounts not exceeding £1000 without reference to the Head Office, as was previously required by the Board. ROB. S. WALKER & Co.,

Hongkong, January 6, 1865.

Hongkong, June 17, 1864.

NOTICE. HE Undersigned having received extended limits from THE ROYAL INSUR-ANCE COMPANY, are now authorised to issue Policies against FIRE as follows, viz. On any one first-class Building, or on Goods stored therein - in Hongkong, \$60,000; in Macao \$45,000. ROB. S. WALKER & Co., Agents Royal Insur. Company of Liverpool.

Agents Royal Insurance Company.

REDUCTION IN THE RATES OF PREMIUM FOR FIRE INSURANCE,

MITHE Undersigned have (as already intimated in their Circular dated 14th October last) received authority from the Secretary of the ROYAL INSURANCE COMPANY to Reduce the rate of Premium under certain circumstances, on PRIVATE RESIDENCES and on FURNITURE and EF-FECTS. therein contained.

In cases of Dwelling-Houses removed from the Town, the rate of Premium will be Three-quarters per Cent. in place of One per Cent. per Annum as hitherto charged and in cases of Residences, so situated, being detached or semi-detached, the rate will

be further reduced to One-half per Cent. The Royal's Annual Rates for FIRE IN-SURANCE on the various classes of Buildings and their contents will therefore remain as follows, until further notice, viz. :-Detached and semi-detached Dwelling-Houses (removed

from the Town) and their Contents. Other Dwelling-Houses (similarly situated) and their Contents.

First Class China House and their Contents. 1<del>g</del> per cent. Other Risks as per special arrangement. ROB. S. WALKER & Co., Agents Royal Insurance Company. Hongkong, November 9, 1866.

ANGTZE INSURANCE ASSOCIATION OF SHANGHAI DIVIDEND of (8 per cent.) Eight per cent. has been declared on the net Premia contributed to the above Association for the Year ending 30th September,

Policy holders will please send in particulars of their contribution to that date to the Undersigned. RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, September 8, 1868.

PACIFIC INSURANCE COMPANY OF SAN FRANCISCO. THE Undersigned, Agents for the above Company are prepared to grant Policies against FIRE, on BUILDINGS and GOODS, at current rates.

RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, February 6, 1867. BATAVIA SEA & FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY. THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents in Hongkong for the above

named Company are prepared to grant Policies against SEA RISKS, at currentrates, RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, April 1, 1865. YANG-TSZE INSURANCE ASSOCIA-TION OF SHANGHAI. THE Undersigned having been appointed A Secretaries and Agents of this Associ-

ation, are prepared to issue Policies upon Marine Risks at current rates of premium. Policies can be made payable in London, New York, Bombay, Calcutta, Singapore, Hongkong, Foochow and Shanghai, In addition to the usual brokerage this Association returns to the assured of each year at the close of each current year, fifteen (15) per cent of the profits of the the amount of premium paid by each po-

RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, March 2, 1867,

PACIFIC INSURANCE COMPANY OF SAN FRANCISCO. MHE Undersigned having been appointed Agents in China for the above INSUE-ANCE COMPANY are prepared to grant Poli-

cy covering Marine Risks, at the current F.USSELL & Co. Hongkong, July 6, 1866.

SAMARAN J SEA AND FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY OF SAMARANG.

THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents in Macao for the above named Company are prepared to grant Policies covering Marine Risks at the current Rates. RAYNAL & Co. Macao, August 4, 1866.

DE COSTERLING SEA AND FIRE INSURANCE COM. PANY OF BATAVIA

SAMARANG SEA AND FIRE INSUR-ANCE COMPANY OF SAMARANG. Agents in Hongkong, for the above named Companies are prepared to grant Policies against Sea Risks on the usual Hongkong, August 1866.

NOTICE.

NORTHERN ASSURANCE COMPANY. DIROM and after this date the following Rates will be charged for Short Perica Insurances:-Not exceeding one

month, of the Annual tate, Above one month andnotexceeding 3 months, ...... 1 Above 3 months and not exceeding 6 months,.... Above 6 months,... the full annual rate.

TURNER & Co., Hongkong, April 13, 1868,

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